

R.C.A.F. RECRUITING UNIT VISITS NEWMARKET



Specialty Swan Song Is
Marked By Errorless Ball

OLIVER GOULD RETURNS TO MOUND TO DO A MERRIWELL

With Oliver Gould pitching his first game since July 19, Davis Leather hardballers defeated Office Specialty Monday evening to take the semi-final series. It was the third Davis win.

Seven full innings of play resulted in a 9-1 decision for the leathermen.

Gould allowed the Specialty batters only four hits. He struck out eight and allowed two walks.

The lone Specialty run was scored in the sixth by Harold Hilton, who reached first on a base hit and crossed home plate on Elight's single. In the same inning the Specialty obtained three of their four hits and it looked for a few minutes as if Gould would weaken but he straightened away and pitched good ball for the remainder of the game. He allowed a fourth Specialty hit in the seventh.

For the first five innings Gould pitched hitless ball. The leathermen managed to knock out nine base hits off the delivery of Harold Hilton, who was on the mound for the Specialty. Hilton allowed one walk, struck out three and hit one batter.

The tanners put on a big push in the second inning, when four runs crossed home plate. They also got three in the fifth and two in the sixth.

Both teams played practically errorless ball in the field. The defeat eliminated Office Specialty from the town hardball picture.

The Davis Leather aggregation now goes on into the final series with the military camp.

Davis Leather: W. Haskett ss, Gunn 2b, Peters 1b, Cain cf, Gould p, Turan c, Tansley 3b, Harman if, G. Haskett rf.

Office Specialty: E. Gould 3b, Wildfield rf, Blight if, VanZant c, Fleit 1b, Neufeldt 2b, Palmateer cf, Ruddock ss, Hilton p.

YOUR CHANCE TO SAVE
A LIFE, SAYS RED CROSS

(By Mrs. G. E. Case, Newmarket Red Cross)

In Canada we've been having holidays. In Sicily Canadian boys have been fighting, bleeding and dying. Men and women! Repay just a little of what they do for us by volunteering for the next blood donors' clinic.

Let no fighting man die because you haven't done your part. Register at once at the town clerk's office for the next clinic on Sept. 7.

Coming Events

Insertions under this heading one cent per word per week, minimum charge 25 cents a week, if paid within six days, otherwise 25 cents additional. There is no charge advertising for any event.

Dance at Cookstown Pavilion every Friday night to a splendid military band.

Friday, Aug. 27—Queensville Red Cross is having a corn roast at the school grounds. Musical program and sing song. Admission, 25 cents. c1w29

Saturday, Aug. 28—Gladioli show will be held in the United Church open to the public after the judging at 3 p.m. Entries must be in by 8 p.m. Friday night as show will be set then. c2w29

Saturday, Aug. 21—Carl Anderson's 11th corn band, sponsored by Elmhurst Beach Association. Street dance. Variety show. Plenty of corn. George Urquhart's orchestra. Admission 25c. *3w27

Midnight dance Sunday night, Labor Day, Sept. 6. Art West's orchestra.

Mount Albert orchestra - Wednesday.

Art West's orchestra - Saturdays during August and September.

RIVERVIEW PARK, JERSEY RIVER, KESWICK

1127 Norman Brunt, proprietor.

School Dentistry
Works Out To 33 1/2
Cents Per Operation

Twenty-Five Children Have Dentistry Done At Total Cost Of \$84 By Arrangement Of School Board

As a result of planning and by working on two or three children at once, with the help of an assistant, a great saving in dental costs was achieved by Dr. G. A. C. Gunton, Aurora, working in the Newmarket office of Dr. W. O. Noble, now on active service, on a group of 25 children from an East Gwillimbury township rural school.

Mrs. W. H. Wilmot, chairman of S. S. 7, East Gwillimbury, has received the following letter from Dr. Gunton:

"Attached hereto please find a detailed statement of the work done for the children of your school section. You will note that there are 251 operations completed for them as outlined in the mimeographed provincial department of health report form.

"This was completed in 21 hours of operation at a cost of \$84, compared with a cost of \$449 if the schedule of minimum fees as suggested by the board of directors of the Royal College of Dental Surgeons of Ontario had been followed.

"You will therefore note that the average cost per operation amounted to about 33 1/2 cents each.

"I enjoyed working for these 25 youngsters and I trust that the work was done to your entire satisfaction."

The work included fillings and extractions but not replacements.

N.H.S. Upper School Results
Mary Mursion Is Top Of Class With Nine Firsts

The results of the upper school examinations have just been released by the department of education. They reveal that the pupils of Newmarket high school have done exceptionally well, as only four papers were missed out of the total written by the 24 members of the class.

Mary Mursion is top student with nine firsts and two seconds on 11 papers written. The following list shows the subjects passed, with the standing obtained in each: I indicates first-class honors (75-100), II indicates second-class honors (60-74), III is third-class honors (50-59), C is a credit (50-59):

Leslie Barnes, Eng. comp. II, Eng. Lit. II, alg. I, geom. I, trig. I, phys. C, chem. C, Fr. Au. III, Fr. Comp. C.

Helen Blanchard, Eng. comp. III, Eng. Lit. III, Bot. III, zool. II, Lat. Au. C, Lat. comp. C.

Robert Brooks, Eng. comp. C, Eng. Lit. II, mod. hist. I, geom. C, trig. C, chem. C, Lat. Au. I, Lat. comp. III, Fr. Au. C, Fr. comp. C.

Patti Connell, Eng. comp. II, Eng. Lit. I, alg. II, geom. II, trig. I, phys. III, chem. C, Fr. Au. II, Fr. comp. III.

Dorothy Gartshore, Eng. comp. C, Eng. Lit. II, mod. hist. I, bot. C, zool. C, Lat. Au. I, Lat. comp. II, Fr. Au. C, Fr. comp. I.

Lola Gray, Eng. comp. C, Eng. Lit. C, zool. C.

Irene Harper, Eng. comp. II, Eng. Lit. II, mod. hist. II, bot. III, zool. II, Lat. Au. II, Lat. comp. III, Fr. Au. III, Fr. comp. III.

Betty Hope, Eng. comp. II, Eng. Lit. I, mod. hist. III, bot. C, zool. C, Lat. Au. III, Lat. comp. C, Fr. Au. II, Fr. comp. C.

MacCallum King, Eng. comp. II, Eng. Lit. III, mod. hist. I, geom. C, trig. II, Lat. Au. I, Lat. comp. III.

It Was Nice Start For
Carnival, Not For Tanners

TRAINING CENTRE TAKES FIRST OF TWO OUT OF THREE SERIES

As a prelude to the annual Lions club carnival held at the Lions park last evening, the Newmarket Hardball League staged the first game of the final series.

The game, which brought together the Davis Leather, victors over the Office Specialty in the semi-final series, and the military camp, was taken by the camp. The final top-scored score was 10-1.

The camp took the lead right in the first inning when it scored its first run.

It came back with one in both the second and third and four in the fourth. The last three camp runs were scored in the semi-darkness of the sixth inning, when it was impossible for any of the fielders to see the ball.

The leathermen scored their only run in the third inning, when Gunn crossed the plate.

Bob Peters was on the mound for the tanners and allowed 12 hits, striking out four and walking two. Watson, a right-hander who took over the flinging for the camp, allowed five hits, striking out three and handing out three free passes to first base.

The camp presented almost the same line-up which has been playing all season. Only one new man, in the person of Preston, made his appearance.

The game was the first of a best two out of three series to decide

Town Will Have Chance
To Purchase Buildings

Approval to a lease of the fair grounds and land at Connaught Gardens to the department of national defence for "the duration of the war and six months thereafter" was given by Newmarket town council on Monday evening.

The lease put in writing a lease that has been in effect since the military camp was established. There is no rental. The chief provision was that the town should have the option of buying any or all of the buildings at the expiration of the lease. The selling price is to be fixed by an arbitrator or arbitrators.

CAPT. ERNEST FALLE IS WITH TROOPS IN SICILY

Capt. Ernest Falle, former adjutant at the Salvation Army in Newmarket and popular with the troops at the training centre here, is in Sicily. He is active in organizing softball games and sports, to be played in the cool of the evening during the brief respite periods.

SAVING FUEL
BLAMED FOR
POWER BILL

An offer from Mrs. Edith Lovelock of \$50 for a lot at Prospect and College Sts. was before the town council on Monday evening.

"We have sold lots for \$50 when there was an intention to build," explained N. L. Mathews, K.C., town clerk and solicitor. "There is probably no intention to build in this instance."

"There is no use keeping the lot," said Mayor Dr. L. W. Dales. "I'll move that we sell the lot subject to advertising."

Reeve Fred A. Lundy said that the lot was not suitable for building and that Mrs. Lovelock wanted it to provide a driveway for her adjoining property. He seconded Dr. Dales' motion, which was carried.

The Church of the Nazarene was granted the use of the town hall on Friday evening for vacation Bible school closing exercises.

Mayor Dales said that the school was doing a fine job and asked that the clerk write a letter of appreciation to the Church of the Nazarene. The council agreed to the suggestion of Deputy-Reeve A. D. Evans that appreciation be expressed to the Newmarket Ministerial Association also for the vacation school held in July at St. Paul's parish hall.

Mr. Mathews invited members of the council to be his guests at Cumberland Beach, Lake Couchiching, the weekend after Labor Day.

The council approved an Ontario Hydro-Electric account for July of \$4,017. Members of the council asked why the total was up.

Mr. Mathews said that it was "more than \$400 over the corresponding month of last year."

Deputy-Reeve A. D. Evans, chairman of the water and light committee, said that it was due to the scarcity of fuel.

"Don't you think that people are using electricity instead of wood and coal for cooking?" asked Councillor Wm. Dixon.

Mr. Mathews, in reply to the mayor, said that he was not conscious of any corresponding increase in revenue.

Reeve Lundy questioned if the town might save coal next winter through the "consolidation of offices." He said that "the town, churches and everybody else" should do what they could to save fuel.

"Can we close this building?" asked Councillor Frank Bowser. "It is heated all winter for the fire truck."

"It is also used for the police court," said Mr. Mathews. Dr. Dales said that the fire hall would have to be heated. It might be easier not to heat the town hall, council members suggested.

Mayor Dales said that he was calling a meeting of the council to consider the subject of fuel economies in the meantime.

Cecil Hoover Uninjured
When Tank Takes Plunge

Tpr. Cecil Hoover, son of W. F. Hoover, Newmarket, and the late Mrs. Hoover, had an unpleasant experience when the tank he was riding in turned upside down in manoeuvres overseas.

The tank crew misjudged the centre of a temporary bridge thrown across a deep, wide ditch and went over the edge, ending up with the turret deep in the mud. The four men inside came out through the escape-hatch all mud and oil but otherwise quite uninjured and not even showing any traces of shock.

Tpr. Hoover received his training at Toronto and Camp Borden and has been overseas for two years.

MOVE TO NEW LISKEARD

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Owens have moved to New Liskeard, where Mr. Owens has purchased the Highview Dairy.

the championship.

Military Camp: Buchowski 3b, Vallerie rf, Exelby ss, O'Neil 1b, Hewson c, Dodge cf, Newbold if, Preston 2b, Watson p.

Davis Leather: W. Haskett ss, Gunn 2b, Peters p, Cain cf, Gould if, Turan c, Tansley 3b, Harman if, G. Haskett rf.

STORE IS ATTRACTIVE

Joe Smith's rebuilt billiard room and bowling alley, nearing completion, gives Main St. another smart store-front.

YOU SHOULD HAVE SEEN BIG ONE THAT GOT AWAY

H. E. Lambert, manager of the Bank of Toronto, and N. L. Mathews, K.C., town clerk and solicitor, went fishing last week at Lake Opinogeno, Algonquin park.

In their catch were a five and a half pound bass, credited to the banker, and a five and a half pound lake trout, credited to the lawyer.

Mr. Lambert lost a 20-pound (the guide weighed it mentally) lake trout.

Winter's Potatoes
Depend On Care
Growers Take Now

"Late Blight" Is Enemy To Defeat Now, Advice Given By Agricultural Representative Cockburn

The winter's potato supply depends on farmers "insuring" their crops against "Late Blight," Agricultural Representative W. M. Cockburn said in a warning issued this week to York County potato growers.

"For Murphy's sake don't stop spraying now at the critical time when the weather is damp and sticky," said Mr. Cockburn. "The country needs the potatoes! Co-operate with your custom operator and be ready with material or team even if you have threshing or harvest. 'Blight' will not wait."

"The protective coating must be on before rains to keep 'Blight' off. The spores carried by wind and rain stick to the wet tops. Keep a rain coat on them till matured. It also protects against 'leaf hoppers' that burn the edges of the leaves. 'Tarnished plant bug' is causing fits of some plants to wilt down. It requires a contact insecticide but this is not very satisfactory, as new broods come in from fence rows, etc."

Mr. Cockburn calculated that over 530 acres of potatoes on 63 York county farms are being sprayed or dusted regularly by ten custom operators.

"This makes an average of nearly eight and a half acres per grower," said Mr. Cockburn. "Even at 150 bags per acre and only \$1 per bag this would mean \$1,275 per grower. Yields show average close to 200 75-lb. bags and we hope and believe the price will beat \$1 by quite a bit."

"This is beautiful 'Late Blight' weather and yet within the past week we have visited growers who questioned the expense of insuring that \$1,000 or \$2,000 crop by regular, thorough, applications of 'Bordeaux mixture' or dust. They do insure their buildings! A number of good

Evans Manacled, McDonald
In Hospital One Year Later

ALLAN McDONALD RETURNS TO HOSPITAL TO HAVE ARM RESET

Today is the anniversary of Dieppe.

Two Newmarket boys were taken prisoners of war at Dieppe. Both were injured. One is still in hospital. The other is out of hospital but is still manacled.

Pte. Allan McDonald is the son of C. E. McDonald. He is still in hospital. His arm was broken and wasn't straight when the splints were removed. A card from him three weeks ago told that he was going back

"More People On Your Side
Thinking Victory" - Jerry

MICKEY SMITH SHARES IN CAPTURE OF GERMAN SUBMARINE

Stoker Alfred ("Mickey") Smith, home on 30 days leave, has nothing but highest praise for the navy. His first leave home in 15 months, "Mickey" is looking fit and renewing acquaintances.

During his many trips he has seen action several times, his ship capturing a German submarine and taking on prisoners, "Mickey" helping the first one on board.

"I don't know whether or not he thought I was going to push him overboard, but he shouted 'kamerd! kamerd!' and threw his arms about my neck," said "Mickey."

While standing his first guard over the prisoners, he asked one of them who he thought was going to win the war. The prisoner replied: "We think that we are going to win the war and you people think you are going to win the war, but more people on your side think they are going to win the war than on ours."

"The meals are perfect and one certainly gets around to see a lot of countries they never

INTERIOR REFINISHED

Max Grantham has done a re-decorating job at Wainman's jewelry and gift shop that is a "lift for sad hearts." A delicate blue makes Wainman's one of the most attractive store interiors in town.

ADOPT DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Orley Hayco have adopted a baby girl, Margaret, one year and five months old.

SEES SILVER "V"

Watching the moon break through the clouds on Tuesday evening Mrs. E. Miller, Pearson's Crossing, said a perfect silver "V" appeared above the moon. "One of the most beautiful sights I ever saw," said Mrs. Miller.

thought they'd see," he said. Ireland is the most beautiful country of the British Isles, thinks "Mickey."

Asked if he would like to continue in the navy in peace time, he said he would like to have a few months on land again. However, for a young, single fellow, he thinks there would be nothing like the navy.

TAUGHT IN NEWMARKET



2nd Lieut. John P. Scott, son of Mrs. Nelson Scott, Newmarket, is now stationed at Petawawa. He taught at the Alexander Muir school in Newmarket before enlisting.

will permit and the growers co-operate.

"About this time last year we gave similar advice, and many growers missed the 'Blight' by acting on it. One grower with 16 acres sprayed only for potato bugs and on his own calculation at \$1 per bag lost \$1,500. This year he has 32 acres being dusted regularly. If a crop is within your grasp, make sure of it."

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SCHOOL GROUNDS

In an article last week we mentioned "better schools." Is it possible for us to have better schools? We think it is. For instance, the King George school leaves much to be desired because of its small playground. Play is an important part of a child's education. The youngster should learn at school to mingle with and enjoy his fellows. The King George school grounds provide only limited space for the various age groups. The big boys haven't room for a real game of ball, and the little fellows find themselves intruded upon, and their territory trespassed upon, by the older boys. The girls too are crowded.

The town should make an effort to obtain other, or all, properties in the same block, and gradually make the grounds adequate.

MEANING OF VOTE

The writer enjoyed two or three days last week attending the annual meeting of the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association in Toronto. There was much that was worth-while, some of it of technical interest only but a great deal of general interest, intended to educate and awaken the rural editor to his opportunities. Next week we will write about what we learned. This week we turn these columns over to other editors to tell us what they think about the provincial election.

With what they say we do not necessarily agree. We think that there is too much of a tendency to dismiss the C.C.F. as visionary, idealistic and impractical, and too much tendency to damn the labor vote as racketeer-inspired. Extremist labor action, when it occurs, is only a reaction to extremist employer action, and labor selfishness when it occurs is as natural as employer selfishness. When workingmen find themselves unable to better themselves effectively through union organization they turn to political action, and undoubtedly they will gradually achieve their aims. Industry cannot expect to win battles on the industrial front, without facing war on the political front.

Our thought is that we are lucky to have a secret ballot and a political system that gives the individual a chance to express his discontent and disapproval without resort to violence. It is up to those of us who are in a position to do so to remove the grievances before political action forces us to do much more than is at present requested or discussed. "It is what we do when we don't have to that makes us what we are when we can't help it."

Let it be thought that we criticize the press for unfairness, may we say that it is our observation that the weekly press gave good publicity, during the past election, to the C.C.F., a movement which seemed to be threatening industry and private business, and the advertisers on whom the weekly press is dependent.

WHAT OTHERS THINK

LUCKY "MITCH"

(Midland Free Press-Herald)

"Mitch" Hepburn made no mistake when he resigned the premiership and turned the job over to Mr. Conant, from whom it was wrested in turn by Mr. Nixon. "Mitch" had passed the summit of his popularity. His beverage rooms had become a public nuisance in many parts of the country, his never-ending feuds with Ottawa had become tiresome, and despite his brilliance he never seemed to learn by his blunders which were endless. The Nixon government was undoubtedly the scapegoat for many of Hepburn's sins.

Strictly speaking, the manner in which Mr. King has governed at Ottawa should have no bearing on an Ontario election. Since, however, Mr. Nixon's party and Mr. King's party were the same label and Mr. Nixon was known to be Mr. King's nominee, it was inevitable that any dislike of Ottawa would be vented upon the Ontario Liberals. Mr. King will have new reason to dread the national election which is due within the next 18 months.

When that election takes place it is practically certain his government will meet the fate of all other governments which have steered a country through a time of crisis. No matter how successful such governments may be the ungrateful public are resentful of the restrictions placed on their liberty, high taxation, and wages which never seem to increase fast enough to catch up with high prices. And so they take these grievances out on a government which has done a great job for them. There is little gratitude in public life and foolish is the public man who expects it. It does not pay off in votes.

Despite the general discontent which vented itself on both the old parties, Premier-elect Drew and his Progressive-Conservatives have come through with flying colors. The reformed party is to be given one more chance to see what it can do and there will be enough C.C.F. members in the house to see that the emphasis is placed on the Progressive rather than the Conservative end of the combination. That should suit the temperament of Mr. Drew, who is far from being a die-hard Tory except in his loyalty to the British flag. He will yield to no one there. Since no one will be trying to take it away from him, now that Border City "Jim" Clarke has disappeared, there need be no ructions on that score.

Mr. Bracken should take courage from Mr. Drew's success. He has a real chance to be Canada's next prime minister. The C.C.F. may come through on top, and at any rate it will run second. Liberalism appears again headed for the valley of humiliation.

RURAL REACTION

(Barrie Examiner)

The gains by the Conservatives resulted from a rejuvenated party with a modern progressive program. The old guard were to a large extent replaced by younger men and these are now in control.

The C.C.F. made a remarkable showing in the voting. We don't think it is a sign that Ontario has gone socialist. We do think a lot of people fell for the propaganda that the old parties were out-dated. We have a feeling too that the C.C.F. got out all the available votes, and that the 300,000 less votes polled in this election than in 1937 were Liberal and Conservative votes. This represents over 3,000 per constituency. Had these been polled, it could easily have made a tremendous difference in the results as about two-thirds of the wins were scored on minority votes.

From the results, it is evident that the rural voters were not greatly impressed by the C.C.F. appeal. Take Centre Simcoe, for example. Here's what the townships showed for the C.C.F. based upon the total names on the list: Vespra, 15.5 percent; Sunnidale, 19.6 percent; Flos, 13.2 percent; West Gwillimbury, 15.2 percent; Innisfil, 14.2 percent; Tiny, 33.0 percent. In Oro, in the east riding, where the C.C.F. candidate was born and spent most of his life, his total was only 193 in the nine subdivisions.

In this county, the main C.C.F. support was secured in towns with a large labor vote. Midland, with many workmen in the shipyards, gave 779. In Collingwood, with big payrolls in shipyards and aircraft factory, the C.C.F. supporters numbered 685, while Orillia with many industrial workers showed a support of 933.

UNEXPECTED LUCK

(Fergus News-Record)

People of Fergus and district are lucky this year, when longer trips are out of the question, to have a new lake almost at their own doors. And the lake is turning out to be far better than anyone expected it would be. Not only is it large and still lovely in mid-August, but it provides perfect size, shape and weather for motor and sail-boats. There are plenty of picnic places and the water has been warm enough for swimming.

We have been spending one afternoon a week out at the lake, and the more we see of it the better we like it, and other people feel the same way. Some Fergus people are there nearly every night, especially if they own sail-boats. There are no cottages yet at the end of the lake nearest to Fergus, but dozens of people, from as far down the river as Kitchener, are looking over the ground and asking about getting cottage sites.

The water level has now dropped about one foot, which isn't enough to tell what the lake shores will look like when it goes down another ten feet or so. Where beaches are being formed, the drop of a foot has actually improved the appearance, but not where there are shores covered with dead grass. It is rather strange how quickly the beaches are forming wherever there is sand or gravel. One might have thought it would take years, instead of months, to form a beach, sorting out the stones of various sizes and carrying away all the topsoil. Apparently wave action is faster than was generally expected.

THE WAR BROUGHT HOME

(The Ottawa Citizen)

The truth of his majesty's statement that in this war we are all in the front line is being more brought home to us in Canada. No intelligent person today needs to be convinced that complete utilization of Canada's manpower, and womanpower too, is essential to victory. No intelligent person, therefore, will be disposed to impede the government's war labor policy which is very definitely shaped to that end.

Newspaper readers can assist the government very materially by studying carefully the National Selective Service: civilian regulations, particularly the compulsory employment transfer orders, published from time to time in the newspapers by authority of the minister of labor.

These regulations and orders are the means by which complete utilization of our manpower and womanpower may be brought about. The regulations cover, with certain exceptions, persons of either sex from 16 years of age upward. They are constantly being amended and added to from time to time to meet changing conditions. Men and women may now be called upon to leave their present employment on seven days' notice to take more essential work. Men subject to the military call-up may be required to accept alternative employment. Coal miners must stay at their work; and ex-coal miners, if physically fit, must report for work in the mines. Farm workers are advised what they may or may not do. Similarly, employers must not employ, or continue to employ, or engage any men affected by the orders without special permission to do so from the nearest Employment and Selective Service office.

All classes of employers and workers are urged to read the various orders as they appear in the newspapers, to study them carefully and to assist our war effort by carrying them out. Only by such united effort will we deserve the victory for which we are so hopefully waiting.

DOMINION ELECTION AHEAD

(Orillia Packet and Times)

In the meantime, Col. Drew and his colleagues are going to be in an awkward position. The C.C.F. leaders have already expressed their readiness to support them in nine of the planks in their 22-point platform. On the other hand, the Liberals, to whom Col. Drew must look for substantial support if he continues to be able to carry on, have argued during the campaign that a number of these proposals are impracticable from a financial standpoint. Walking a tight rope is an easy feat compared with the political agility and dexterity that Col. Drew will be called upon to display.

It is, however, fortunate that a party led by men who have never had either political or administrative experience is not to be entrusted with the government of the province of Ontario, with its vast organization involving expenditures of upwards of a hundred millions a year. That such a situation should arise just does not make sense. Men without training and experience would not be placed in charge of a department in a factory. The C.C.F. leaders will now have an opportunity to learn the ABC of their new trade.

Still more fantastic is the idea that men abso-

lutely without business training could undertake to manage the commerce and industry of the country and make a better job of it than men who have won their way to the top in these fields by wrestling with the problems that are constantly presented by changing conditions. State control coupled with mediocrity and inexperience could not fail to produce chaos.

Naturally, the success attained by the C.C.F. causes elation, and whets their appetite for the dominion conflict, with hope of still greater things. But, per contra, the result of last week's election is likely to rouse people who do not share C.C.F. socialist ideas from their apathy. If there should be another election it is safe to predict that a third of the electorate will not be so indifferent as to refrain from voting. It is by no means certain that Ontario is prepared to adopt socialism.

COLLECTIVE BARGAINING

(Kirkland Lake Northern News)

But the noise makers are back again. Those who would fasten themselves like leeches on our men through political or other C.I.O. means are out in full force once more, and last Sunday's meeting was undoubtedly the trial balloon under the pretence of a political meeting. Those who left us a heritage of grief and debt are jealous of the good way matters are going between workers and mines. They are fearful of a broadening of the Kirkland Lake form of collective bargaining, true collective bargaining, as said before, where workmen sit down with their bosses and talk things over quietly, not the noise making and hysteria and the stuka bombing tactics that the C.I.O. uses to bring in the dues.

Kirkland's form of collective bargaining is a menace to the whole C.I.O. empire. The spectacle of men in Kirkland getting things, more things, through the committees, things that only come through a sense of co-operation between bosses and workers and never through noise making and violence, is not to the liking of the C.I.O. and naturally they want to kill it before too many workers in other mining fields and in other industries know how well it works here. Our system has spread to Porcupine, and to Noranda and other parts of Quebec. It's a good system as every mine worker in Kirkland Lake must agree.

There is going to be a lot of noise making here in the next few weeks in an attempt to revive local 240 so that it can fight the committees. The last chance of the C.I.O. is at stake. The meeting last Sunday was only a start. This place can stand only one sad experience. One more and it will look like a Russian city after the Germans are through with it. We can do without the noise makers.

But people elsewhere should understand from

Kirkland experience just what this C.C.F.-C.I.O. combination means. It means disorder, violence, loss of wages, and hardships. And it has not taken very long to show up the C.C.F. true C.I.O. coloring. But perhaps we can hope, after all, with comrade Carlin, that they may not get anywhere even though they do make "a hell of a lot of noise."

ELECTION LESSONS

(Bowmanville Canadian Statesman)

Our estimate of the Liberal defeat in Ontario can be summed up in three words: labor, Ottawa and proxies, in the order named. Let us examine results, first in Durham county, second, across the province. In another column will be found a tabulated summary, "the Bowles-Mercer vote." It shows how the C.I.O.-C.C.F. vote undermined the Liberal candidate. Mr. Bowles drew half his strength, or 1,119 votes from the three factory towns, Bowmanville, Port Hope and Newcastle. Darlington township supplied 443 largely in the U.F.O. district. Port Hope and Hope township swung to Dr. Vivian.

What happened in Durham was reflected, generally, across Ontario. Of the 33 seats won by the C.C.F., 29 were industrial and war-plant centres. Oshawa and Ajax, for instance, swamped both old-line candidates. The farming areas held solidly against socialism and the C.I.O., with Drew outdrawing Nixon by 70 percent. The farmer reaction against farmer Nixon is something yet to engage the attention of political strategists. Campaign advisers with an eye to the future will set about that task.

When nine federal cabinet ministers came to Toronto as absentees from their war jobs at Ottawa to lend weight to the choice of Mr. Nixon as provincial leader, who, in turn, called a hasty election, that move was noted by the electorate at large. Few doubt that Mr. King wanted to test Ontario's political opinion. Labor, irked by taxes and restrictions, gave him the answer, with farming districts emphasizing their protest. With the war increasing in tempo and with Ontario's lesson so emphatic, it seems unlikely that Ottawa will test the national political strength until its term expires in 1945.

Proxy voting and widespread civilian disfranchisement and generally poor management added to Mr. Nixon's debacle. Figures are not yet available but locally it is known that the great majority of Durham's absent soldiers got no vote at all. That was bad business. It certainly had its effect on the issue and we haven't heard the last of it. It must not happen again. Then there was the plebiscite, which, in the minds of many, grimly had its weight thrown into the balance. The above, in general, seem to be the main election lessons, as we see them.

50 YEARS AGO

From The Era and Express files, Aug. 18, 1893

Newmarket will be represented in the cattle line at the Chicago World's fair. Fred Dennis shipped his fine Ayrshire sire there last Friday.

The annual tournament of the Newmarket Bicycle club will be held on Wednesday, Sept. 6.

A musical social took place in the lecture room of the Methodist church last week.

Miss Nellie McCleod, Aurora, spent Sunday at Mr. Geo. Trivett's.

Miss E. Murray, Beeton, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Chas. Rhinehart.

Mr. C. G. Ross and family spent Sunday at Roche's Point.

Mrs. J. O. Wilson is holidaying at Keswick.

Alderman Somerville and family spent Tuesday at the lake shore.

25 YEARS AGO

From The Era and Express files, Aug. 16, 1918

Many people are expressing the need of a downtown telegraph office. The board of trade may take the matter up.

The Good Roads Commission has been building a bridge and two substantial culverts at Bogartown.

Mrs. Windsor, Timothy St., has received word that her husband, Sgt. Windsor, has been awarded the military medal for gallantry in the field.

No less than five horses died from the excessive heat last Tuesday.

Reeve Keith is expected home from the west today.

Miss Leila Harland is visiting friends in Toronto.

Miss Mina Thompson accompanied Miss Caroline Black to her home near Barrie for the weekend.

The Misses Davey are visiting Mrs. Evans at Ridgeway.

Dr. C. A. Terry has found it impossible to complete his work and will continue his Newmarket office for another month.

APPROVE PAYMENT

Accounts approved by Newmarket town council on Monday evening included: Jos. Brammar, \$3.53; Ray W. Jolley, \$5.15; Fred Newton, \$3; J. L. Spillott, \$5.28; G. W. Curtis, \$17.50; J. J. Mrs. J. O'Brien, \$1.50; J. E. Sloas, \$4.20; J. J. White, \$8.15; J. Woodcock, \$10; \$3.75; Hydro-Electric Power Comm. of Ont., \$4,017.46; Herald Printers, \$13.77; district inspector of electricity and gas, \$10.05; Cousins Dairies, \$5.25; Geer & Byers, \$8.05; Newmarket Era and Express Ltd., \$59.20; Fred S. Thompson, \$5.35.

PAT WAVES

Pat determined to pass his favorite tavern on his way home. As he approached it he became somewhat shaky, but, after shaking up courage, he passed it. Then, after going about 50 yards, he turned, saying to himself: "Well don't, Pat, me boy. Come back an' O'll treat ye."



The ancient Italian city of Milan, with its historic buildings, is now a shambles. The once spacious streets now filled with rubble are a grim reminder to the folly of Badoglio.

The British war cabinet was in session most of Monday and far into the night. Prime Minister Churchill, in Quebec, was in constant touch with the cabinet by trans-Atlantic telephone.

The Red army is gaining steadily in its drives for Kharkov and Bryansk. The Axis forces are counter-attacking furiously with fresh reserves brought up from the southwest, but to no avail.

The Axis is apparently expecting an Allied invasion of Norway for they are throwing hundreds more in concentration camps and bringing in heavy reinforcements.

A ten-year-old Hamilton girl suffering from a type of blood-poisoning has been saved by a new miracle of science, namely, the drug penicillin. Penicillin is expected to save many lives once lost from blood poisoning.

George A. Drew was sworn in as premier of Ontario and minister of education on Tuesday afternoon.

Other ministers are: T. L. Kennedy, minister of agriculture; L. M. Frost, treasurer and minister of mines; Leslie Blackwell, attorney-general; G. H. Chalmers, vice-chairman of the Ontario Hydro-Electric Commission; G. H. Duncett, minister of highways and public works; G. H. Dunbar, provincial secretary and minister of municipal affairs; Dr. R. P. Vivian, minister of health and public welfare; W. G. Thompson, minister of lands and forests; Charles Daley, minister of labor.

That's Different

Miss Browne, the prettiest girl in town, was blessed with a father who snubbed all young men who came to see her.

One evening, Charles Newton, a beautiful young man, called. Mr. Browne and young Newton's father were close friends, but Mr. Browne did not recognize the visitor.

"It looks as if it might rain," ventured the young man.

"Rain's going to rain," was the gruff response.

For about a quarter of an hour they sat in silence. Finally Browne's curiosity got the better of him.

"Who did you say you are?" he growled.

"Charles Newton, sir."

"What! You're not Tom Newton's son?"

"Yes, sir."

"Well, well," thawed Mr. Browne. "It may rain. It may rain."

Of People And Things

PLEASURE

By Isabel Inglis Colville

The definitions of pleasure, were one to compile a book of them, would compass exactly the number, and variety of people whose opinions were asked.

Things that give me pleasure would seem like absolute nonsense to my next-door neighbor, as hers would to me.

Even if we were in the same place and looking at or doing the same things, one pleasure would be derived from different aspects of them.

Sometimes, one person's way of enjoyment makes another person uncomfortable. Take for example, my idea of perfect bliss is to surround myself with a number of books and magazines, on the table, on the floor near me, just anywhere within reach, so that I can dip into one here and pick up another there, without having to make excursions to the bookcases and spend the precious time at my disposal trying to find some elusive treasure.

But, mother, who loves reading too, is made acutely unhappy by my widespread reading matter.

"Books and magazines," says she, "should live in their places except when in immediate use."

"But apart from me, look at the fun Candy gets out of them." I tell her, as that small tornado, makes a dive under a magazine and walks off with it on his back like a turtle in its shell.

"Yes, and look what the magazine will be like when he leaves it," she warns me, only to cease as Candy climbs the back of her chair, opens her apron strings and then leaps on poor, unoffending Timothy's tail, which procedure brings forth wails, hisses, and assorted growls, for Timothy has lost, recently, what we called his tail light—a nice white tip.

How he parted with it is a mystery, but the fact remains that whereas it WAS, now it is

NOT.

Today I saw something which gave me pleasure. We have a shallow pool on the west lawn, where an old mill used to be and it is a mecca for the little birds who come there to bathe.

Today it had some more distinguished visitors than the different kinds of sparrows—English, song, tree and chipping—which bathe there.

I thought I saw something larger and, not daring to go near, got opera glasses and there were two red-headed woodpeckers and a robin having a glorious time. They'd bathe and then preen themselves in the sun and look around as if to say, "Isn't this a beautiful world?"

And they say time. I've been watching the waterlilies as I sit here—it must be a fate day for them for I've seen so many kinds, and like the birds, they shame me, for I know so little about them, but their color and grace add to the beauty of a day, when ALL around is beautiful.

I saw a black one with a pale blue pattern as exquisitely designed as if it came from a Paris modiste—or such as once came from there.

There was a deep cream with black spots, a golden brown with yellow and black arabesques and others I can't describe.

I used to think one had to go far afield to find beauty and pleasure. Instead, they are here, close at hand, and one great lesson I've learned, the more we study nature and try to bring ourselves into harmony with it, the more beauty and knowledge nature has to give and give lavishly.

Shakespeare, who was prophet and poet as well as dramatist, was eternally right when he said we could find "tongues in trees, books in the running brooks, sermons in stones and good in everything."

This is not a

TRUE STORY

but it is typical of many a true story. It has often happened.

John Smith read in The Era and Express about the sale at Jim Brown's farm. John was interested. The following week he saw the sale list in The Era and Express and he noticed that John had some carpenter's tools and he wanted to pick up a plane. He decided that he would go.

The morning of the sale, however, he was particularly busy and he finally came to the conclusion that he would not be able to go. At dinner time he talked it over with Mrs. Smith and told her of all the things he had to do. "Oh, go anyway," she said. "You need a little holiday."

So, after wavering, go he did. He took some extra money with him "just in case," although he did not really intend to buy anything but the plane.

The auctioneer put up the carpenter's tools as a lot, and several other people were interested. John bid them up and finally got them. They were a good buy too.

John did not go home then, but he did not intend to do any more bidding. Farm implements came next. A binder was not drawing much interest (this sale took place a couple of years ago!) and John put in a couple of bids on it. It must be a good buy if John Smith bid on it, thought someone else, and soon the interest quickened and Jim Brown realized a price that he would never have got if John had stayed home.

John similarly bid up several other implements that seemed as though they would sell for bargain prices. He didn't get any of them.

When the horses went on the block one of them caught his fancy. The bidding went to \$75 and only one man besides himself was still interested. John Smith himself paid \$140 for the horse, \$65 more than Jim Brown would have realized if Mrs. Smith had not urged John to attend—or if John had not seen the plane listed in The Era and Express.

Before the afternoon was over John had bid on some pigs and poultry which went to other bidders.

He spent only \$140 for the horse and \$7.50 for the carpentry tools, and he had good buys, but Jim Brown had netted probably \$300 more than if John Smith had stayed at home.

John Smith had not only bought but he had bid. He had increased the interest in the bidding and the gross return. And that was true of many other bidders who attended the sale.

One extra bidder attracted to an auction sale may mean hundreds of extra dollars to the sale. Many extra bidders may mean an extra \$1,000, \$2,000 or \$3,000, depending on the size of the sale.

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Gathering the Sport Facts

Two different pitches are making history in the big leagues this year. One is a specialty pitch, which belongs to one man only, the other is thrown by an assortment of curvers. As yet neither have made their appearance on the local hardball front, yet both are, according to their masters, easy to throw.

One is the knuckle ball, the other a so-called parachute pitch. The knuckler has been going the rounds of the baseball parks for many years. The other is something brand new—and different. Eddie Rommel, the American league umpire who began his active playing career in the International league with the Newark Bears in 1918, was the first man to throw the knuckler with success. Today Rommel, from his position back of the plate, often

says he wished he had never started it because of the trouble it causes him.

Rommel must have had something on the ball besides the cover during his active playing career because one glance at his record shows that he was outstanding. During his years of pitching in the majors he won 171 games and lost only 119. His best year was 1922 with the Philadelphia Athletics, when he won 27 games and lost only 13.

On May 12, 1919, he pitched a no-hit, no-run game for the Newark Bears against the Toronto Maple Leafs.

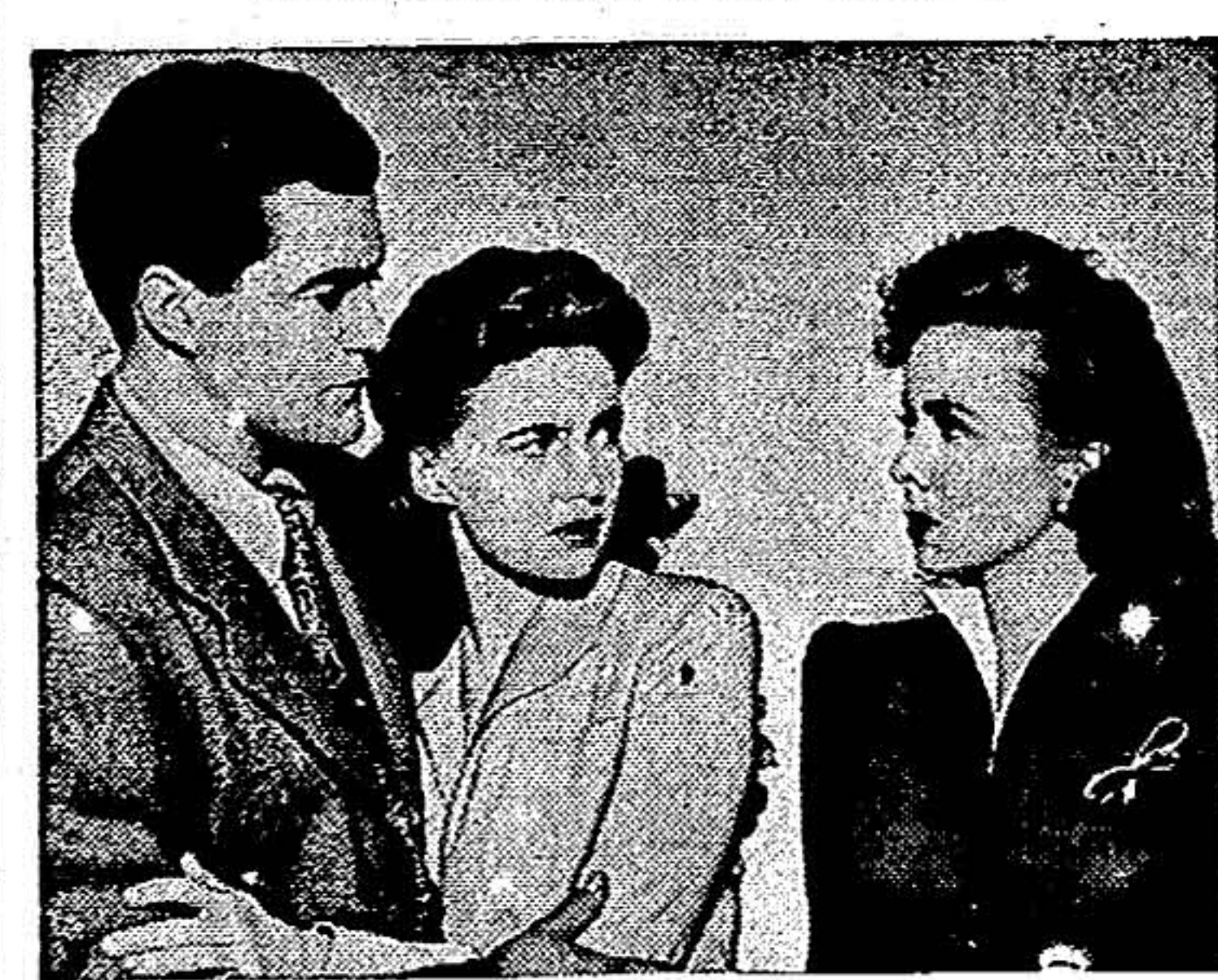
Probably the two best known of the many knuckle ball pitchers in the majors today are Dutch Leonard of Washington and Roger Wolff of the

Athletics. Hal Wagner, one of the Philadelphia catchers, says that every time he's called on to catch Wolff he wishes he had taken up bricklaying for a trade instead of baseball. It is the hardest of all pitches to catch and yet it is a comparatively slow ball.

After every game Wagner shows up with a mass of bruises. Connie Mack, who has watched a lot of good pitchers come and go, says that his uncanny control with the knuckler makes Wolff one of the outstanding pitchers in the game today. According to Mack, a better name for the pitch would be the flutterball.

The other super-dooer pitch to make its appearance in the big leagues this year is the parachute pitch invented solely by Rip Sewell of the Pittsburgh Pirates. At the time of writing, Rip has won 18 games with it. There are many other names tacked on the delivery such as rainbow delivery, dewdrop

TROUBLE TRAVELS IN THREES



Trouble travels in threes for this trio. Dennis Morgan, Joan Leslie and Ida Lupino have top roles in Warner Bros.' dramatic film of backstage life, "The Hard Way." The picture plays Wednesday and Thursday at the Strand theatre.

throw or even hump-back pitch. National league batters call it a name which is unprintable.

Sewell's pitch goes up in the air to a height of 12 to 15 feet, then seems to stop and float lazily down toward the over-anxious batter. The hitters fairly break their backs swinging at it. It actually looks like something borrowed from a kid's Sunday-school picnic game. When the batters do hit it on the nose it hasn't enough speed to carry far and it usually turns into an easy outfield fly.

The ball is thrown off the palm of the hand, just like a shot-putter heaves the shot. Both the knuckler and the parachute pitch are thrown without tampering with the seams of the ball. Right now Sewell, who never was a high-salaried player, is one of the big box-office attractions of the league because he has something different. So far it has been effective.

According to many managers, if the epidemic of knucklers and parachute pitches keeps up, the modern pitchers will still be there throwing when they are 60 because neither of the pitches places any strain on the arm.

Jim Hopper, rookie pitcher with the Maple Leafs, quite frequently throws a knuckle ball. Bobbie Coombs of the Jersey City club has imitated Sewell's delivery and has attained fair success. Recently, down at Maple Leaf Stadium, we watched Joe Sullivan practising with a delivery similar to Sewell's. Perhaps if he can control it he will spring it on the opposing batters.

Pleasantville

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hunt visited relatives at Port Perry. Miss Dora McClure, Toronto, and Miss Grace Scott, Newmarket, spent the weekend with the former's mother, Mrs. G. McClure, and Murray McClure and had Sunday tea at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Madill, Petchville.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hopper and son, Robert, Toronto, were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. Albert Howlett.

Miss Maud Simmons, Toronto, is a guest for this week at the George Hunt home.

A.C. Barry Anderson, Picton, spent Sunday at the Needler home as did also Pte. Raymond Needler and wife, Chatham, and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Kureta Luchner, Toronto, spent Sunday at Elmer Starr's home.

Mrs. G. Hunt, Miss Simmons and little Edith Kay had Sunday dinner at the Kay home.

Those who had afternoon tea last Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Chas. Toole included Mrs. A. Colville, Mrs. John Reid, and Mrs. Brown of Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ridley, Snowball, spent Sunday with the Harper family.

Mrs. E. Hawtin and Mrs. M. F. Starr were Wednesday dinner guests of Mrs. C. Toole and Mrs. A. Forbes.

KING WILL CHECK UP ON TOWNSHIP WOODLOTS

King township council met at the Temperance hall, Kettleby, on Aug. 10. All members were present except Councillor C. E. Warkington.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and adopted.

Accounts passed for payment included: treasurer, Kettleby Temperance hall, rent, council meeting, \$5; Nobleton postmaster, stamps, \$18; S. Stewart Joscelyn, on account, auditor's fees and supplies, \$175, \$8.17; C.N.I. for the Blind, re indigent, \$20; King City Masonic hall, court of revision, provincial election, \$5; Wm. Davis, constable's fees and mileage, \$13.20; Gus Farquhar, June constable's fees and mileage, \$22.15, July, \$15.50; H. G. Rose, registrations, \$2.25; clerk of division court, re services and mileage, \$9.40; W. W. Gardhouse, treasurer, County of York, June hospitalization, \$53.50.

Road Voucher No. 8, \$5,136.49; relief, \$27.36.

The treasurer was authorized to issue a cheque to W. W. Gardhouse, treasurer of the County of York, for \$20, 50 per cent of the hospitalization refunds collected from Jan. 1 to July 31.

For the loss of sheep worried by dogs, Douglas Porter was paid \$24, Aubrey Doan \$16, and Morley Stuart, \$10.

For services as valuers, Jas. Fuller was paid \$4, T. C. Wray \$2, and N. Wauchop \$2.

Constable Gus Farquhar was instructed to go to the Holland Marsh Drainage Scheme and check the piles of wood that were impounded by the police magistrate at Newmarket at the trial of the men brought into court for cutting wood on the township's property.

He was also instructed to take any necessary action if he finds any of the wood has been removed and if he finds any others who have been cutting or assisting in the removing of the wood.

The clerk was instructed to write the petitioners from Emma Road on the Holland Marsh and inform them that nothing can be done on the extension of the road until the necessary ditches are dug on both sides of the road.

The meeting adjourned to meet at Armstrong's hotel, King City, at 9 a.m. Sept. 4, or at the call of the chair.

SCOTT Scott Council Levies Tax Rates For 1943

Scott township met at the township hall Aug. 7. All members were present.

Communications were read from F. Lapp, school attendance report for June; from H. Pearson, reports of equalization of assessments, union school sections, Brock and Reach; from County Constable Murray, report as to dog tax collection; from County Constable Rudry, notification of admission of a patient to Toronto General hospital; from Lorne C. Lee, demanding settlement of a claim of Peter Clark and S. Reaman; from department of municipal affairs with bulletin advising changes in statutes affecting municipal affairs.

A grant of \$75 was made to Scott fair.

The council accepted the hydro contracts of Howard Snowdon and Murray Paisley.

The road superintendent was asked to get information about a truck and plow for snow and to give a report at the September meeting.

The following tax rates were levied for 1943: county purposes, 1.35c on the dollar; township school grants, .52c; general purposes, .20c; school sections, 1, .30c, 2, .35c, 3, .50c, 4, .30c, 5, .48c, 6, .31c, 7, .23c, 8, .36c, 9, .25c, union Reach, .21c. Brownhill, 1.90c. (No levy for street lighting at 2c per ft.)

Accounts passed included: pay roll No. 8, labor on roads, \$116.40; N. Thompson, tractor, \$90; James Smith, team, \$2.92; Morley Harman, team, \$5.20; Fred Smith, team, \$3.25; J.A. Stevenson, team, \$2.60; Stuart Bibby, team, \$2.92; Thos. Wright, team, \$2.60; Lloyd Profit, team, \$1.30; Jack Pollard, team, \$2.60; G. K. Johnston, paint and spikes, \$1.05; Donald Silver, bonus, wire fence, \$1.18; Ross Johnson, salary, \$83.30; County of Ontario, hospitalization, \$14.88; 4.

Boys Appreciate Kind Newmarket Hospitality

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. White, Newmarket, received high praise for treatment of Sault Ste. Marie soldiers in a letter written to the Sault Ste. Marie Star by Tpr. Giles E. Wilson of Sault Ste. Marie.

"I am writing this letter to give credit to two of the finest people I have met and I firmly believe this can be verified by many of our Sault boys who have received basic training at Newmarket, Ont., Tpr. Wilson writes. "These people of whom I speak are Mr. and Mrs. 'Bill' White. Mrs. White, who is well known in the Sault as Mabel Cliffe, is a sister of Herb Cliffe. "Bill himself is quite the boy and served overseas in the Canadian corps headquarters transport for four years during the last war. He is the director of entertainment at the Soldiers' club here in Newmarket, and is very well liked and doing a marvellous job.

"Mr. and Mrs. White last visited the Sault in September of 1940 and resided on Church St. He thinks quite a bit of our fair city, and intends to pay it a visit when this war is over.

"I'm sure he will be very welcome, as our boys down here just have to go to his home to be at home. As a Sault boy myself I can honestly say these folks are doing their utmost for our war effort and deserve plenty of thanks for their kindness to the Sault boys who have trained here. One doesn't have to be away from home very long before he realizes what it means not to have the comforts of home, and he sure has everything his heart desires when visiting Mr. and Mrs. White.

"Mrs. White is quite interested in Sault activities, and I'm sure it would be quite an honor if some of you fine citizens dropped her a line of thanks. I would also appreciate a reply to this letter. "Here is a list of some of the Sault boys who visited Mr. and Mrs. White during their stay in Newmarket: Ptes A. W. Amoroso, Walsten, S. A. Skagen, 'Gren' Whalen, A. Ross, Mike Yuskiv, Tprs. Allen Maki and Ted McMaster, Ptes. O'Toole, Running, Chitty, Hows, O'Dell, Chester Webb, Booth brothers, G. F. Lewis, L. E. Linklater, E. G. Bock, Lyle Scott and Tpr. Fitzpatrick."

The above letter was clipped by a Newmarket living in Sault Ste. Marie and sent to T. F. Doyle, Newmarket. Mr. Doyle gave the clipping to The Era and Express.

Petunias For The Winter

(By Rudy Rensius for Newmarket Horticultural Society)

There was a time when petunias were just another bright little spot in grandmother's garden. Since then many improved varieties have come out and at this time of the year every garden where petunias are grown should be a riot of color. The petunia is, however, not only a garden flower, it can very successfully be grown in the house in a sunny window and will bloom all spring.

It is best to take up a few small plants in September and plant three or four in a 6" pot. Fill the bottom of the pot with broken pots or cinders, then a layer of leaf mould and top it all with a half mixture of leaf mould and garden soil. Keep the pots in a cool, light place, away from heat, and water occasionally but not too much.

In January the plants are just right to be put in that sunny window away from the heat. Some fertilizer will be helpful now. Don't let them dry out and you will be rewarded with lots of blooms. When these start appearing it's time for more plant food. The petunias are liable to grow tall and should be supported by sticks. Rosy Morn is very suitable for this house culture. Try it and you'll have lots of fun. The one we had in the house last winter is blooming in the garden now.

LOCAL MARKET

Butter sold for 40 cents a pound on the local market on Saturday morning. Eggs were 45 cents a dozen.

Apples and potatoes were 35 cents, for a six-quart basket, peas were 45 cents for a six-quart basket and cucumbers sold at from 30 to 50 cents a six-quart basket. Cabbages were five and ten cents each.

TORONTO MARKETS

On the Toronto markets on Tuesday morning, butter, creamery solids, No. 1, brought 33 cents a pound. Creamery prints, first grade, were quoted to retail trade at 35 cents a pound.

Grade A large eggs brought 45½ cents; A medium, 44½ cents to 45 cents; A pullets, 38 cents a dozen, to country dealers on a graded eggs, cases free, delivered to Toronto basis. Nominal prices to the shipper for poultry were: spring broilers, 11 to 13 pounds, 28 cents a pound; 1½ to 2¼ pounds, 28 cents a pound.

Choice weighty steers were \$12 to \$12.35; butchers, \$10.50 to \$11.50; heifers, \$10.50 to \$11.50; butcher cows, mostly \$9.75. Bologna bulls closed at \$7.50 to \$9. Stockers were also slow at \$9 to \$11.25. Stock calves were up to \$12.50. Hogs sold at \$18.85 to \$18.90 dressed weight.

Hydro-Electric Power Commission, lighting township hall, \$3; Thos. Sellers, six sheep killed or injured by dogs, \$7; Harvey Shier, sheep valuation, \$2.

The council will meet again Sept. 4.

These days, when tea must yield the utmost in flavour, quality is of supreme importance.

"SALADA" TEA

VANDORF Gives Interesting Talk On Christian "Warfare"

Mrs. Arthur van Nostrand visited Cpl. Arthur van Nostrand of the R.C.A.F., Hagersville, last week. Cpl. van Nostrand accompanied her home and stayed for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Richardson and Mr. and Mrs. John Crawford spent a couple of days last week at Milford Bay, Muskoka.

Pte. Clayton Fogue and Mrs. Fogue are the parents of a baby girl, born at St. Joseph's hospital, Toronto, on Aug. 9.

Miss Elsie van Nostrand, Miss Marion van Nostrand and Miss Mabel Carr are spending a week's holidays at Penetanguishene.

Mrs. Crawford Smyth, Toronto, was a weekend guest of Miss Audrey Switzer.

Rev. and Mrs. Holmes, Stouffville, attended Wesley church on Sunday morning.

Mrs. Cale's sermon on "Christian Warfare" last Sunday and her talk to the boys and girls was interesting and convincing. Before her marriage Mrs. Cale was a missionary in Chicago. She is a gifted speaker with a wealth of Bible knowledge. This Sunday the pastor's son, Mr. Harold Modde, will conduct the services.

Mrs. S. Foote, Lemonville, was guest speaker at Wesley Y.P.U. on Tuesday evening.

Miss Pearl Mackey was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mackey and family.

Sgt. Dudley Foster, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Foster, arrived in England recently.

Pte. Bill Bentley has arrived safely in England.

Readers are asked to please telephone any news items to Aurora 8014.

on the theory that you can find whatever you want when you don't want it by looking where it wouldn't be if you did want it."

Holland Landing

Miss Eileen Chapman, R. N., visited Miss Grace Campbell, R.N., for the weekend at her summer home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barr, New York, and Mrs. G. E. Leslie and son, Frank, Toronto, visited Mrs. S. G. Sheppard and Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Sheppard on Monday.

Mrs. Wallace McKenzie and baby, Gail, Lansing, spent a few days this week with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Morning.

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4. Persons of 16 years or over must sign their own cards. Cards of persons under 16 years must be signed by parents or guardians. Children under 16 will not be allowed to apply for new ration books, either for themselves or for other members of the family.

Print in Block Letters in Ink (Ecrire à l'encre en lettres majuscules)

Print & Serial Number (No. de carte ration) **MNS54677**

Last Name **MORRISON**

First Name **JOHN HARRY**

Address or P.R. No. **860 PARK AVE.**

City, Town or Village **MONTREAL P.Q.**

Date **AUG. 25/43**

Age, if under 16 **Age, if more than 16 ans**

I declare I am the holder of the Ration Book from which this reference card has been taken, or that I am signing this in good faith on behalf of the holder, whose name and address appear above.

Je déclare être le détenteur du carnet de rationnement dont cette carte de référence a été détachée, ou que je signe de bonne foi pour le détenteur dont les nom et adresse apparaissent ci-dessus.

J.H. Morrison
(Signature—Signature)

IN FILING IN YOUR APPLICATION CARD... FOLLOW THE METHOD INDICATED ABOVE.

DO NOT SURRENDER, DESTROY OR THROW AWAY YOUR PRESENT RATION BOOK. IT CONTAINS COUPONS YET TO BE USED FOR MEAT PURCHASES.

RESIDENTS OF RURAL AREAS may apply on behalf of their neighbours, providing Ration Book 2, and properly filled in application cards, are presented.

RESIDENTS OF A TOWN OR CITY. Any senior or responsible member of a household may apply for new Ration Books on behalf of other members of the household, providing Ration Book 2 and properly filled in application cards, are presented.

On presentation at a Distributing Centre of your present ration book with properly completed application card, you will be issued your new Ration Book 3; and your present Ration Book will be returned to you.

Volunteer Workers are giving their time to serve you at the Distributing Centres. Help them by following these instructions carefully.

LOCAL DISTRIBUTING CENTRES

ADDRESSES	DATES	HOURS
King George School, Newmarket	Aug. 25-28	1.15 p.m. to 5.30 p.m.
Alexander Muir School, Newmarket	Aug. 25-28	1.15 p.m. to 5.30 p.m.
Separate School, Newmarket	Aug. 25-28	1.15 p.m. to 5.30 p.m.
Town Clerk's Office Annex	Aug. 25-27	1.15 p.m. to 5.30 p.m.
Town Clerk's Office Annex	Aug. 28	9.30 a.m. to 5.30 p.m.
Mrs. Stanley Sheppard, Holland Landing	To be announced locally	
Elmer Hamilton, Ravenshoe	To be announced locally	
Mrs. R. Sedore, Brownhill	To be announced locally	
Byron Stiver, Mount Albert	To be announced locally	
Mrs. E. F. Ramsay, Sharon	To be announced locally	
George Pearson, Queensville	To be announced locally	
John Crawford, Clerk's Office, Vandorf	Aug. 25-28	9.00 a.m. to 5.00 p.m.
C. Earl Toole, Bogartown School	Aug. 26 only	9.00 a.m. to 9.00 p.m.
J. E. Blatchford, Kettleby	To be announced locally	
Daniel Emmerson, Pottageville	To be announced locally	
Wm. Watson, Ansnorveld	To be announced locally	
Elton Armstrong, Middlebrook's, Armitage	To be announced locally	
Mechanics' Hall, Aurora	Aug. 26-28	1.15 p.m. to 5.30 p.m.

RATION ADMINISTRATION

THE WARTIME PRICES AND TRADE BOARD

CHRIST CHURCH IS NUPTIAL SETTING



Cpl. and Mrs. Andrew Malcolm Naismith are pictured above following their marriage in Christ church, Holland Landing. Mrs. Naismith is the former Lois Fletcher Goodwin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Goodwin, Holland Landing, and Cpl. Naismith is the son of Mr. A. M. Naismith, Long Branch, and the late Mr. Naismith. Cpl. Naismith is with the R.C.A.F.

Social and Personal

Miss Wendy Monk, Toronto, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. C. R. Boulding.

Walter Davis is spending this month the guest of Gordon Guntton at Sans Souci.

Mrs. Kitson, R.N., Detroit, Mich., and Rev. P. W. Graham of St. Paul's Presbyterian church, Englehart, are visiting their mother, Mrs. E. E. Graham, Yonge St.

Petty Officer Robert V. Benville, R.C.N., and Mrs. Benville, Halifax, N.S., were in town last week calling on friends.

Miss Hersha Burns, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mrs. M. Aiken.

Councillor A. A. Cook and family spent the weekend at Shannonville, Ont.

Miss Greta Sloss spent the weekend in Toronto.

Miss Leila Reynolds, Regina, Sask., is visiting her mother, Mrs. John Locke.

Miss Anna Leggett, Toronto, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leggett.

Raymond Cook, who has been doing farm work all summer, is spending the balance of the month at Camlachie, Ont., with Rev. and Mrs. Roy Hicks.

Mrs. Albert Farren and Mrs. Ed. Hollinshead, Kettleby, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cross.

Miss Valencia McNaught, Alma College, St. Thomas, is spending the balance of her holidays with Mr. and Mrs. John Seath.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl McCready, Earline and Kevin are spending the balance of this month at Ottawa.

Miss Mary Oxenham, Sarnia, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Barkley and Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. F. Bowman and Miss Barbara Bowman are on vacation in Haliburton county.

Miss Leona Maaten, Toronto, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. John Maaten.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Eveleigh and Erna are on holidays in Muskoka this week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Harvie and family are spending two weeks at Manitoulin Island.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Crysdale and family have taken a cottage for two weeks at Fairy Lake, Muskoka district.

Mrs. Eric Gonneau and Miss Dorothy Smith spent the weekend at Barrie.

Mrs. Robt. Moore and daughter, Miss Frances Moore, are holidaying this week in London, Ont.

Mrs. R. V. Smith and Beverley are visiting in Toronto with Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. E. Fretwell.

Dr. and Mrs. Crawford Rose and family are visiting this week at Waterloo and other points in western Ontario.

Misses Doris Mitchell and Vanetta Maaten are on holidays at Parry Sound.

Mrs. Clarence Davis and Gail are visiting at Peterborough with Mrs. Davis' aunt.

Miss Kathleen Mosley, Toronto, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Mosley.

A LITTLE DOWN

"I hear," remarked Mrs. A. "that that nice young Mrs. B. got all her furniture on the hire-purchase."

"Yes," said Mrs. C., "she is feathering her nest with a little down."

SHOULD BUY
FEED NOW, IS
FARM ADVICE

Directors of York county Federation of Agriculture met in Newmarket on Friday evening to discuss ways and means of impressing on farmers the seriousness of the feed grain situation for the coming winter due to decreased acreage and reduced yields of grain of doubtful quality.

W. H. Wilmut, Sharon, secretary of Toronto Milk Producers, said that "to move the feed required for the coming winter will require 200 to 250 cars per day from now to New Year's, whereas there are only that many per week coming at present. Last year with a big crop here, our heavy livestock production program in eastern Canada took over 1,000,000 tons of western grain and much more will be needed this year."

In view of shortage of help at feed mills, the directors are urging farmers to make up orders for carloads to help local dealers, who will cooperate in placing the orders. This grain is for storage in elevators or warehouses and to be hauled to the farms for use next winter, when the transportation shortage will be even more acute.

"Transportation of war supplies and personnel is taxing the railways to the point that one wonders where all the cars and locomotives have come from," stated W. M. Cockburn, agricultural representative. "If our farmers reduce their stock rather than buy feed, we will jeopardize our war effort and perhaps go hungry ourselves. Great Britain, with our own boys to feed, must be taken care of."

"The governments are paying subsidies to compensate farmers for taking delivery of the grain now, before this year's western crop congests storage and shipping. Bankers also are kindly disposed to advance money to purchase this feed, having in mind the stable prices prevailing under the present situation."

One of Britain's Best Drivers, Is Tribute Paid

The following complimentary letter has been received by Mrs. Robert Patterson, Newmarket, from Lieut.-Col. C. J. Penningham, R.C.E., regarding her son, L. Cpl. A. N. Patterson, who is overseas.

"I was in hopes that I would be in Toronto and could get time to tell you about 'Pat', but such was not the case. As you may have heard from him by now, I left the job of R.C.E. 5th div. about the middle of July and was made a member of a British military mission which is going on a tour of the world."

"It is a grand job, but one of my greatest regrets was that I couldn't take both Tommy McLoy and 'Pat' with me. I don't think I have ever had the honor to receive such loyalty from anyone as I received from them. Coupled with the loyalty was genuine friendship. 'Pat' is a perfectly grand boy and you should be proud of him."

"I can assure you, Mrs. Patterson, that if and when I am returned to duty with the Canadian army overseas, about the first thing I will do will be to get 'Pat' back to drive for me, as he is absolutely trustworthy, honest, agreeable and one of the best drivers in England. His car was always displayed by the transport officer as an example of how a car should be kept."

CLASSIFIEDS CAN BE
OF SERVICE TO YOU

SERVING AURORA AND DISTRICT

Col. Bennett Started As
Private, Wounded In 1916

It was with saddened hearts that members of the 2nd battalion, Queen's York Rangers, the county of York reserve unit, heard last week the news that their C.O., Lieut.-Col. John Hyde Bennett, V.D., was slated to retire on Sept. 1 of this year. In recent weeks the department of national defence has decided that all officers over the age of 50 are to be retired and it would appear that no official is likely to be made in the office edict. Col. Bennett, who has over 40 years of service to his credit, is 52 years of age.

Col. Bennett is of Irish ancestry from County Antrim and first saw service with the Royal Jersey Light Infantry in the Channel Islands. He came to Canada in 1908 and served for four years with the Queen's Own Rifles, whose reserve unit was this year a neighbor at camp of the Yorks.

In 1914 he was commissioned as an officer with the 12th York Rangers and was at camp when the Great War broke out. He went overseas with a draft of 300 men from the Yorks in the 11th battalion, C.E.F., the same year and was wounded in the second battle of Ypres in 1916. Later he served with the expeditionary force in Siberia.

On his return from overseas he retained his affiliation with the army, joining the Queen's Rangers, becoming commanding officer in 1934. In 1936 he retired from service. Shortly afterwards, in December 1936, his two old units, the 12th Yorks and the Queen's Rangers, were amalgamated to form one unit. In 1940, when Col. R. C. Merrick, C.O. of the Queen's Yorks,

was appointed to command No. 1 Reception Depot overseas, Col. Bennett was appointed to command the unit. This was one of the proudest moments in his career.

Col. Bennett zealously undertook the reorganization of the unit and was a great factor in so many men of the county unit going on active service. When the regiment was mobilized for active service in 1942, he commanded it temporarily, until Lieut.-Col. Pote's appointment, and then took over the command of the reserve unit.

A keen student of history, Col. Bennett perhaps more than any other person has been responsible for the creation and maintenance of the unit's archives and historical museum. Last year he completed a history of the regiment, a copy of which was given to every man of both active and reserve units. He has also engendered close relationships between the unit and the officials and people of the county of York. As much as possible, he has given an opportunity for men of the ranks to rise to a commission within their own unit, until today probably no regiment has more officers on its strength who have come up from the ranks.

Men, N.C.O.'s and officers of the unit will shortly honor Col. Bennett with a suitable presentation. Major Carl Reeve, second-in-command, will command the unit after Col. Bennett's retirement until a new C.O. is appointed. Col. Bennett is senior to the other commanding officers of the units stationed at Fort York.

Mrs. N. Robinson Is 86,
Was Born In Log Cabin

Mrs. Nelson Robinson, Mosley St., celebrated her 86th birthday on Friday. Once again she has disproved the jinx of being born on the 13th and this year, in addition, her natal day fell on Friday.

Mrs. Robinson was born in a log cabin on the third concession of King. Her maiden name was Garrow. She attended Snowball school and one of her teachers was the late Alfred Love, who died at the age of 96 last week. Married at the age of 23, Mrs. Robinson moved to Aurora 51 years ago. Her husband died some years ago.

Living in Aurora are her three children, Mrs. Nelson Banbury, Mrs. Alan Langman, and Melvin ("Barney") Robinson, who resides at home. She has a number of grandchildren, three of whom are on active service. She is confined mostly to her residence, but manages to do a good deal of her own housework.

FIRE BELL RINGS, BUT
THERE IS NO FIRE

Saturday's high wind caused several minor jobs for town electrician Langman. A falling branch on Sunday, in front of the Anglican church, caused the fire bell to ring. Needed repairs to the wires were made.

FARMED ALL HIS LIFE,
HENRY OSTLEY DIES

A well-known resident of Whitchurch township, Henry Ostley died at York County hospital, last Thursday. He had been in ill health for some years. Born in York county on June 6, 1867, he was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Richard Ostley of Whitchurch. He married Harriet Rutledge on March 25, 1903.

A farmer all his life, Mr. Ostley was a member of the Anglican church.

Surviving beside his widow are a daughter, Mrs. Hazel Bonland, Toronto, one brother, Frank, Sharon, and two sisters, Mrs. Robert Wreggitt and Mrs. Walter Haines, Sharon.

Rev. G. H. Johnston conducted the funeral service at the chapel of Roadhouse and Rose on Saturday afternoon. Interment was in Newmarket cemetery.

The pallbearers were L. E. Ewart, Elmer Starr, A. Plintoff, Joshua Stickwood, David Evans and Jas. Gibney, Drake, Sask.

CONDITION IS FAVORABLE

D. E. Stephens, Yonge St. south, underwent an operation on Saturday. His condition is favorable. Mr. Stephens returned from Labrador, where he was employed on construction work, a short time ago.

WITH THE CHURCHES

Rev. J. H. Arnup, D.D., secretary of the United church foreign mission board, took Sunday morning's service at Aurora United church. Miss Lorraine Fierheller was soloist.

Trinity Anglican church Sunday-school held their annual picnic in the Aurora town park last Saturday.

Rev. J. W. Stewart, Aurora, was guest preacher at Aurora Baptist church on Sunday. Next Sunday the pastor, Rev. A. R. Park will be in charge of the service.

Closing ceremonies of the church vacation school at Trinity hall, Aurora, will be held on Friday, Aug. 29, at 3 p.m. A display of the children's work will be on exhibition.

Women of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church packed 12 overseas boxes for boys of the church this month.

Decoration Is Given
Aurora Flying Officer

Reported missing a few weeks ago in an R.C.A.F. communique, Flying Officer J. H. ("Jim") Foy, former Aurora high school student and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Foy, Temperance St., has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross. No further word has been received concerning Flying Officer Foy. He is the second ex-Aurora high school student to be awarded flying honors, Wing Commander Lloyd V. Chadburn being the other.

The official R.C.A.F. citation of Jim's heroism reads: "F.O. Foy, now on his second tour of operational duties, has participated in a large number of operational sorties, including the 1,000-bomber raid on Cologne, the Ruhr and Bremen. On two occasions he successfully flew his aircraft home on engine. On completion of his first operational tour this officer served for some time as a pilot instructor. His operational record as deputy flight commander has been of the highest order."

PITCHER'S DREAM COMES
TRUE FOR "JOINT" MCCOMB

Pte. Eugene ("Joint") McComb, popular Aurora athlete in hockey and softball, joined the softball hall of fame last week as he turned in a perfect seven-inning performance for Richmond Hill softballers against Lansing in the league play-off, to chalk up a scoreless, no-hit, no-run game.

McComb, who is on guard duty at the Aurora Ordnance Depot, is doing double duty on the mound this year, pitching for both Aurora R.C.O.C. and Richmond Hill. His battery mate, catcher Charlie Case, is also in action on both fronts.

UNDERGOES OPERATION

Mrs. William Mount, Wellington St., underwent a serious operation in a Toronto hospital on Saturday. Her condition is reported as favorable.

WITH THE FORCES

Gnr. Arie Barselaar, Petawawa camp, spent the weekend at his home.

LAC Harold Stephens, R.C.A.F., son of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Stephens, has been posted to Winnipeg, Man.

LAW Doris Whitelaw, R.C.A.F. (W.D.), Aylmer, has returned to duty after spending a week's leave with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Whitelaw.

Sgt. Clarence Fisher, R.C.A.F., Edmonton, Alta., is spending a furlough with his father, Councillor A. N. Fisher.

Cpl. Grant McCachen, R.C.A.F., Guelph, spent the weekend at his home.

Sgts. Reg. Southwood and Ken Brown of the 1st battalion, Queen's York Rangers, are now stationed with the unit at Sussex, N.B.

Pte. William Seaton, Camp Newmarket, London, has returned to camp after spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Seaton.

AC2 George Morris, R.C.A.F., has been transferred from Toronto to Guelph.

Lieut. Bill King, who is home from overseas to take aerial training with the R.C.A.F., has been posted to the R.C.A.F. centre at Oshawa.

The Canadian armored corps at Camp Borden are holding an open Sunday and at home on Sunday, Sept. 5, when wives, children, sweethearts and friends of men of the armored corps will be guests of the corps at a gala field day and display of armored corps' work.

Tpr. Gordon Horner, Camp Borden, spent the weekend with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Preston.

Major C. R. Boulding, R.C.A.F., Camp Borden, spent the weekend at his home.

Capt. C. S. Lanskail, O.C. of B company, 2nd battalion, Queen's York Rangers (reserve), has enlisted for active service and will be posted with M.D. 2 headquarters. Previous to breaking camp at Niagara he was presented with a gold ring bearing the regimental crest by officers, N.C.O.'s, and men of the company.

Sgt. Daniel Lawson, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Lawson, Catharine Ave., was among Canadian troops arriving in England recently.

Gnrs. Alan and Donald Gleave, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Geoffrey Gleave, have been posted from Labrador to Sydney, N.S.

Cpl. Victor Lane, Camp Borden, former Aurora boy, spent Sunday in town calling on friends.

Pte. William Gleave, Camp Borden, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geoffrey Gleave.

Seamen Gordon Stephenson and Ralph Smith, H.M.C.S. York, Toronto, spent the weekend in town.

Pte. Gordon Latimer, Brantford, spent the weekend at his home.

Pte. Walter Newton, Three Rivers, P.Q., spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Kline Wood.

Jack Davidson, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Davidson, Temperance St., has joined the Royal Canadian Engineers and is taking a special course at a Toronto vocational school.

Jack attended Aurora high school and was lately employed by the Collis Leather Co. He was a piper in the 2nd battalion, Irish Regiment of Canada, before enlisting. He spent the weekend at his home.

Baptist Minister Was
Ordained 54 Years Ago

Today marked another milestone in the life of Rev. L. W. Palframan, retired Baptist minister, deacon of Aurora Baptist church and well-known resident of the district. It is 54 years ago that Mr. Palframan was ordained as a minister at Barnston, P.Q. He is a regular church attendant and fills the pulpit occasionally.

Garden Prizes Will Be
Awarded On Saturday

The fall flower show of the Aurora Horticultural Society will be held in Aurora United church on Saturday at 8 p.m. In addition to the display of blooms, a vegetable class open to boys and girls will be held. Each competitor will exhibit not more than five vegetables. Prizes for the garden contest, conducted by the society among Aurora school pupils this year, will be presented to the six winners.

Not a Compliment

"I've finished with that girl," "Why?" "She asked me if I danced." "What's so insulting about that?" "I was dancing with her when she asked me."

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SUNDAY-SCHOOL PICNIC IS HAPPY EVENT



The happy group pictured above attended the Aurora Gospel Tabernacle Sunday-school picnic recently. Standing in the back row is Donald Galbraith, genial Sunday-school superintendent. Photo by Barrager.

IS IN AFRICA



Mr. and Mrs. William Atkinson, Centre St., have received word that their son, Pte. Ernest Atkinson, arrived safely in north Africa last month. "Ernie" was formerly a member of the reserve unit of the Queen's York Rangers. A brother, Pte. Cecil Atkinson, is in England.

"MILE OF PENNIES"
TOTALS \$30 FOR W.I.

The Aurora Women's Institute held a "mile of pennies" last Saturday afternoon and evening and realized over \$30.

Mayor Frank Underhill opened the event. Some of the Institute ladies taking charge during the day were Mrs. W. Saigle, president, Mrs. N. Fierheller, secretary, Mrs. H. J. Charles, Mrs. W. Dunning, Mrs. F. Hughes, Mrs. W. J. Garfat, Mrs. H. Neilly, Mrs. F. Smith, Mrs. M. Southwood and Mrs. T. F. Swindle.

Mrs. Hughes gave several bouquets of flowers, which made the booth attractive. The proceeds will be used for Institute work.

ARE WED AT PRETTY
CHURCH CEREMONY

A pretty wedding took place in Annette St. Baptist church, Toronto, on Saturday, when Nora Margaret, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Quantz, was united in marriage to Edwin Francis Dillman, son of Mrs. B. Dillman of Newmarket and the late Mr. Dillman. Rev. Dr. A. E. Imrie officiated.

The bride, given in marriage by her uncle, Mr. Robert McMahon, Toronto, wore a street-length dress of romance blue silk jersey with black accessories and carried a bouquet of pink roses and gladioli. Her only attendant, her sister, Miss Wyn Quantz, wore gold silk jersey with black accessories and carried a bouquet of roses and carnations. Fred Dillman, R.C.A.F., brother of the groom, was groomsmen. Miss Emma Sanderson played the wedding march and during the signing of the register Miss Audrey Darch, Toronto, sang "Because."

The reception was held at the "Old Mill" where the bride's aunt, Miss Margaret McMahon, received in rose silk jersey with a corsage of roses, assisted by the groom's mother, who wore blue crepe with a corsage of roses.

On their return from a short honeymoon the happy couple will reside in Brantford.

IS IN THE MARINES

Charles Egan, son of Mrs. Arthur Egan, Metcalfe St., has joined the merchant marine and spent the weekend on leave at his home before rejoining the silent service at an American port. "Charlie," a graduate of Aurora high school, was prominent in track sports and was a member of the 2nd battalion, Queen's York Rangers (reserve). He is a petty officer and a radio operator.

Stays In Harness At 80
Because Town Needs Him

At 80 Major W. H. Taylor, almost as active as ever, is busy preparing the 1944 assessment roll for Aurora. In 1928 he succeeded the late James Brothers as assessor and the present roll is his 17th. He did two rolls in one year when the change from spring to fall assessment was made a few years ago.

He still makes his rounds on foot, but this year, as last year, obtains a good deal of information by telephone and with the assistance of town officials. Townspeople have grown accus-

tomed throughout the years to his annual visit but this year, he hints, may be his last time around.

Despite war-time restrictions, there has been quite a bit of building and the juvenile population of the town is increasing. Houses are at a premium and the influx of war workers and military personnel mean a larger population, despite so many homes having men on active service. The roll will be completed by September.

O. C. Tells Returning
Yorks Of His Retirement

Bronzed and physically fit, members of C Coy., 2nd battalion, Queen's York Rangers, reserve, returned from Niagara camp on Saturday after 14 days of training. Owing to war-time conditions, the usual Sunday return was cancelled this year in order to allow time for readjustment for civilian tasks.

Top figures for the Aurora-Newmarket company this year showed 64 men and officers took the training and did well in all their tests. Capt. Earl Bales tried his major's examinations. Lieuts. W. I. Hearst and J. L. R. Bell tried exams for their captaincy, and 2nd Lieuts. Delroy Babcock and Arnold Miller tried further qualifying exams. Mr. Babcock and Mr. Miller were on course the first week.

The final week found the company working together as a unit, with most of the recruits well advanced from their preliminary training. On Monday the entire battalion went partly by transport and partly by foot to the bank of the Welland canal, where they saw two-inch mortars demonstrated by instructors from camp headquarters. The boys route-marched about 12 miles on the trip. In the evening a guard of honor of over 100 was provided by the unit to say farewell to the members of the 1st battalion, who had received marching orders to proceed to an eastern training camp. The bands of both active and reserve branches of the Yorks took part.

Fieldcraft was on the syllabus on Tuesday and tired "dogs" were rested. On Wednesday the engineers gave a demonstration of land mines and demolitions for the benefit of the reservists. Thursday area "M" was visited and the three-inch mortar seen in action.

The unit was inspected by Brigadier Martin, district commandant, on Friday. As usual, the Yorks made an impressive showing, and after the inspection, the brigadier paid tribute to their "steadiness." Former principal of Danforth technical school and a member of the famous Mohawk tribe, Brigadier Martin stated that in the war of 1812 his ancestors and predecessors of the men of the unit had fought side by side in the defence of Canada. On the march past, the Yorks had pleased him.

At Fort York armory, before the Yorks dispersed, Lieut. Col. J. H. Bennett bade farewell to the men as he announced his retirement from service at the end of the month. Men of the unit and officers are planning to honor Col. Bennett later this year before he officially leaves.

Training will not be resumed at Aurora armory until Thursday, Sept. 2, when the boys will meet again for training. The usual company party was not held at camp this year but will be held in the fall at the armory.

CELEBRATE DERRY DAY

Members of Aurora Royal Black Preceptory 1051 paraded on Saturday at Derry Day celebrations at Brampton under War Preceptor Sir Kt. R. H. Kane, Richmond Hill. Considering war-time conditions there was a good turnout. Attending from Aurora were, among others, Sir Kts. Mayor W. H. Taylor, John Hudson, Aubrey Fleury, Frank Dawson, Lorne C. Lee, Jack McDonald and S. C. Chapman.

PROVIDE NEW BOOKS

J. B. Greig, assisted by Mrs. Frank Underhill, will be in charge of the distribution of food ration books in Aurora. Distribution will be made from the Mechanics' hall from Aug. 28 to 29 from 1.15 p.m. to 8.30 p.m. Town Clerk A. C. A. Willis is the district ration officer and serves voluntarily.

Use E. and E. classifieds.

JACK BOWSER TAKES
IMPORTANT WAR JOB

W. J. Bowser, head of the Aurora Building Co. and operator of a large farm at Huron and Yonge Sts., Newmarket, has accepted an appointment as works superintendent of the Toronto Shipbuilding Co. He took up his new duties last week.

Mr. Bowser is an experienced builder. He served as superintendent of construction for the Empire State building in New York. Toronto Shipbuilding Co. is producing war vessels.

CONSERVATIVES ORGANIZE

A successful euchre was held at the home of Mrs. Edward Cole, Centre St., by the Aurora Women's Progressive-Conservative club on Friday. Five prizes were provided. An organization meeting will be held on Aug. 30, at 8 p.m., in the committee rooms on Wellington St.

DOWN THE CENTRE

Orchids go to our old friend, "Joint" McComb, who reached the hall of softball fame last week by hurling a no-hit, no-run game for Richmond Hill in the muddling play-offs against Lansing. It is true McComb needed some fine support to turn the trick but two balls were hit to the outfield and he ran up a fine string of strikeouts. This season, as a member of the Aurora Ordnance Depot team, McComb has reached the height of his pitching career. His speed is greater than ever, he has a nice change of pace, and the cry of "side-arm" can be uttered now only occasionally, as his delivery has reached the legitimate stage.

We recall a York-Simcoe play-off a few years back when he opposed the Newmarket Redmen and was haunted all night by the cries of his opponents, who claimed his delivery was illegal. It was at times, we must admit, but McComb in those days failed to click as a pitcher because he paid too much attention to the crowd and often became angered. Now he is cool.

Charlie Case, his catcher, both with Aurora R.C.O.C. and the Hill, can claim a large share of the credit, and like McComb Case is playing the best ball of his career.

Harry Couse, ace hurler of the Barrie Collegians two years ago, turned in the first softball no-hit for the district and against Richmond Hill too, and in a league play-off. We still think Couse a better pitcher than McComb is right now but "Joint" is still coming.

Last week the Ordnance team came to Borden to play our boys at No. 3 C.A.C.T.R. but rain intervened to stop a classic performance. In that game McComb slipped and injured his weak knee but with his well-known moxie refused to allow the injury to stop his playing. Sore knee and all, McComb scored his win over Lansing, and in case you don't know it most of the Lansing players are performing in various Toronto leagues and cannot be described as weak sisters by any stretch of imagination.

"Bunny" Glover, who plays a fine game at the redlight corner for the Ordnance Depot, is a member of the Lansing team and McComb dearly loves to bear down against his usual team-mate of both hockey and softball. The fact that Aurora Depot has not as yet won a single game this year cannot be laid at McComb's door.

Richmond Hill now needs only one win over Lansing to take the

group and meet the winner of Unionville-Stouffville in inter-league play-offs. The Hill won the first game 5-4, with "Teddy" Bennett relieving McComb, and then the second 10-0.

John Mabrey, fast fielding Hill outfielder, has been lost to the team for the season. Mabrey was lending a hand to the Hill kid hardballers when he broke his arm. It was a bad break and will need wiring and several months of training.

Doug Carr, who played hockey for King and halls from St. Kitt's, catches when Charlie Case is not available.

Doug Palmer, blond bomber of the King hockey team the past two seasons, is at first base. Palmer will win no marks for neatness but can surely pick the old apple. In his first five league games he batted an even 1000.

"Huck" Young, a converted outfielder, never highly regarded in the district, has turned out to be a regular wizard this year at the regular corner and rates with the redoubtable Tim Saul right now.

Herbie Rose, who a few years back was a bat-boy for Charlie Ryan's team and is an up-and-coming hockeyist, is the kid of the team and mightily clever at third base.

Will White, who is better than ever, is doing double duty at shortstop for both Depot and the Hill. The Creams are both back in the outfield. Pte. Jimmy Cream of the crooked arm is still able to get home for games and fields as well as before. Brother Art Cream is still capable of holding his own, while Teddy Bennett or McComb complete an outfield that is both experienced and heavy hitting and bears the years lightly.

Jimmy Cochrane, ace shortstop of the district a few years back, is playing for Unionville this year as army duties permit.

Jackie Watson, Markham-Mariboros hockeyist, is also playing softball for Unionville. Jack will return to the University of Toronto this fall. Bill Dyke, elongated first-sacker, McMillan, diminutive third baseman, both former Hill players, are also with Unionville, who is favored to win out in their section of the softball whirl.

Newmarket Camp next week will start off in the Davisville senior softball play-offs. The camp's likely opponents will be Ostranders, who on the season have a slight edge in proceedings. Neither team right now looks capable of taking the league-leading Bowser's in the finals but you can never tell. Much will depend on the trusty right arm of Sgt. "Cecile" Brown, and the hitting of Buchosky and Wysinski. That Newmarket line-up has a Notre Dame complexion, so far as names are concerned.

Feminine softball will likely make its appearance this week in Aurora town park, as the Aurora Ordnance Depot girls get ready for action. McComb is coaching the team and thinks the team has possibilities. All but one player, civilian worker Ted Dore, Aurora girl at first base, are members of the C.W.A.C.

Jewel Locke, former Toronto senior player, heads the list and is said to be a mighty fine catcher. Mound duties will be carried by Eve Campbell, who hails from Uxbridge. Others on the team include shortstop Sue Kalagian, third-

sacker Essie Armstrong, and Ptes. Jeffries, Keller, Phillips, Smith and Babington. We apologize girls, for we don't know your names or records, but we hope you can do your best.

Soccer definitely will make its debut, with a strong team under Staff Cotton readying itself for action against Newmarket, R.C.O.C., No. 3 C.A.C.T.R. and others. Softball, unless an O.A.S.A. berth is secured, is about finished for the men at Ordnance.

Ocell Sinclair of Thornhill is the latest North York sportsman to be listed as "missing" in R.C.A.F. communiques. Sinclair, who was prominent in inter-scholastic sports at Richmond Hill, is in his early twenties, and won his athletic reputation mostly on the golf links. He was formerly assistant golf pro at Thornhill Uplands and then was professional at Big Cedar Golf club at Lake Simcoe. It is hoped by his parents that he is a prisoner of war in Germany, as one of his mates has so been reported.

Doug Hope, Pine Orchard boy and hockey goalie for Middlebrook's Aces, and catcher for Pine Orchard softballers in the Lake Simcoe league, was catcher for the Flight 26 softball team which last week won softball honors in an R.C.A.F. tournament. Hope now leaves for I.T.S. with the rest of his class.

Lloyd Grose of Mount Albert turned up as a member of the winning volleyball team, which also was from Flight 26.

Fred Harvie, science master at Aurora high school, who is a corporal with C Coy., Queen's York Rangers, came out of athletic retirement while at camp and won the unit's standing broad jump event with a leap of eight feet one inch. The distance is a creditable performance, although two years ago in the inter-regimental sports at Niagara the jump was much further. This year Lieut. Hopkins was sports officer of the Yorks, but Lieut. Delroy Babcock also contributed a big hand. The field day unfortunately was held on a Saturday afternoon and most of the boys who might have scintillated went out on pass. Softball turned out to be only a half-hearted affair this year.

Cy. Proctor, Owen Sound hockeyist and lacrosse player, who has been a stand-out performer for some years and last winter starred against Aurora R.C.O.C., moved out of No. 3 C.A.C.T.R. for Debert camp last week and will be lost to hockey in these parts this winter. Proctor is wearing three stripes now.

"Red" Kress, ex-big leaguer who at an advanced age has blossomed out as a pitcher for the Toronto Maple Leafs in the International league, deservedly received the popularity award of the fans last week.

The presentation was sponsored by a Toronto firm, and John Stuart, former Aurora boy, made the presentation. Stuart is the son of ex-Councillor John Stuart of Aurora and was an all-round athlete at Aurora high school in the early twenties. He was one of the fastest mile runners ever to perform in local inter-scholastic circles and was well under the five-minute mark in his performances, which is smart trotting for a schoolboy. Later he ran for Queen's University. Herb Holman, we recall, was another smart miller in his day.

Congrats to Bruce Trivett, former Newmarket Redman pivot, who is a proud daddy at North Bay. "The" hopes the lad will be better

than dad.

And to Bruce Gould, former Newmarket baseballer, now a coder in the Canadian navy, whose marriage to Pearl Lorraine Gray, an American girl, takes place this month.

Marj McCannan, as we said a few weeks ago, is not bashing the ball this season as she did last year. Sunnyside figures reveal the Newmarket girl to be outside the charmed circle of .300 hitters this year. She is, however, a better fielder and is well up in the run-down department. Last year she established her batting spree when in the outfield and lost points while playing in the infield. She still has time, however, to move up near the top.

Incidentally, another country girl who played in the district a few years back, Jean Channon of Uxbridge, is burning up the Danforth ladies' league with her pitching and hitting.

John Ross Robertson trophy for intermediate hockey, now on display in Aurora, recalls the fact that the late newspaperman was one of the pioneers of hockey in the province and was for seven years, in the infancy of the organization, its president. He donated no less than three cups to the association for its three original branches. They are now senior A, intermediate A and junior A. Until 1935 there was only one intermediate series, then a B series was created and another cup provided.

The present cup is a beautiful piece of craftsmanship, being 23 inches high without its pedestal (now a two-tier affair), and it weighs 153 ounces in sterling silver. On it are inscribed maple leaves, on the handle, and a beaver on the lid. It was presented in 1910 and bears the playing lists of some 34 clubs. Those players on the Aurora Ordnance club who have their names inscribed for posterity to see can feel in good company, and some of these days when the weather gets cooler we intend to talk about it all. Sutton kept it in fine shape last year, and Aurora will do likewise, and, in case you're in doubt, the Aurora Depot has eyes on it again for next winter.

Mr. Robertson died in 1907. So the trophies are a memorial Collingwood has won the trophy six times since 1910 and leads in teams enrolled on the cup. Preston is next with three inscriptions.

Armored Corps is holding a gala sports day and at-home on Sunday, Sept. 5, at Camp Borden for the wives, girls and friends of the black heret boys, and everything possible to be done for the guests' pleasure is being arranged. Sunday, of course, is visitors' day at Borden and the only time in war-time such an event could be held. Make sure your friends and relatives in the armored corps give you a bid to be present!

Schomberg

Mr. and Mrs. E. Jordan and son, Barrie, Hamilton, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. H. Wood.

Miss Olive Sutton is holidaying at Sudbury with Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Sutton.

Mrs. G. Lloyd and family returned home on Friday after spending two weeks with Mrs. Wm. Mair, Exeter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Foran, Brampton, spent the weekend with their parents here.

Miss B. Slack, Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. S. Dixon this week.

Mrs. F. Hunter and children are spending their vacation at Centre Island.

Mrs. King, Toronto, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Allen, this week.

Cpl. R. Howard, Trenton, is home for a few days with his wife and family.

Master Billy Foran, Brampton, is spending a month with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Carr.

Mrs. W. L. McGowan and Mrs. Carter and Lorne are spending a week at Lake Simcoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardiment and family, Toronto, spent Sunday with their son, Roy, who is with Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Aitchison for the summer.

Pilot Officer Bruce Smith, Camp Borden, is home for a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Smith.

Mrs. Robertson and Mrs. Thompson have returned home after spending two weeks with relatives in Barrie and Washago.

Baptist Church Holds Sunday-School Picnic

Miss Banks, Toronto, is holidaying with her sister, Mrs. Wm. Wedder.

The Baptist Sunday-school held its picnic at Century park, Portageville, on Aug. 14. All enjoyed the sports and lovely supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Emmerson and family of Nobleton spent Sunday with Mr. Emmerson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Emmerson.

Bobby Jevins was rushed to the Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, for an appendix operation. He is doing nicely.

Mrs. Silas Groombridge called on her daughters, Mrs. Evans and Mrs. Wilder, on Tuesday.

Miss Hattie Cutting, Toronto, spent the weekend with her mother.

Miss Beatrice Proctor is visiting her aunt at Bolton.

Jack Goldthorpe of the R.C.N. V.R. is in Christie St. hospital, Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. George Burt-Gerrans and son and family of Toronto spent the weekend at their summer cottage.

Mrs. Hillard and sisters of Toronto spent the weekend at their summer cottage.

Mr. Stone of Toronto spent the weekend with his wife and sons at their summer cottage.

Harvesting is in full swing now.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wilder and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Donnell at Purpleville.

Ansnoeveld

Mr. and Mrs. J. VanDyk and family spent last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. W. VanDyk in Fisherville. Mrs. W. VanDyk and daughter returned home with them and are spending a few days here.

Mrs. A. Sneepe and children left to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. B. Rupke in Burlington.

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Each week names will be listed in this column. THEY would like to hear from YOU.

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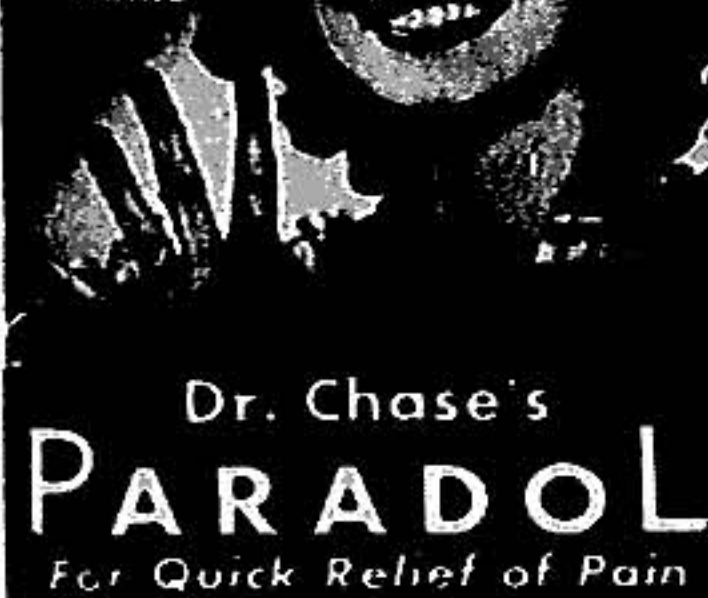
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Birthday greetings are extend-
ed this week to:

Jack McCaman, Newmarket,
11 years old on Sunday, Aug. 15.
Beth McPhee, Newmarket,
four years old on Sunday, Aug.
15.
Eileen Barnes, Newmarket,
16 years old on Tuesday, Aug.
17.
**Gordon Cooke, Holland Land-
ing, 14 years old on Tuesday,**
Aug. 17.
Clifford Murrell, Newmarket,
seven years old on Wednesday,
Aug. 18.
Marcela Squires, Newmarket,
three years old on Wednesday,
Aug. 18.
Ruth Rogers, Queensville, 16
years old on Wednesday, Aug.
18.
Don La Clair Langton, New-
market, 11 years old on Friday,
Aug. 20.
Phyllis Stickland, Newmarket,
12 years old on Saturday, Aug.
21.
Barbara Jean Le Gresley,
Newmarket, ten years old on
Saturday, Aug. 21.
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Newmarket, 10 years old on
Aug. 21.
Send in your name, age and
birthday and become a member
of The Era and Express Birth-
day club.

Queensville

Master Roy Morton is spend-
ing a week with his aunt in
Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Aylward
attended the christening of the
large Lancaster bomber at Mal-
ton last week.

Mr. D. Fierheller and family
spent the weekend at Mr. Geo.
Cole's home.

Manley Cole, R.C.A.F., of
Saskatchewan, son of Mr. and
Mrs. Geo. Cole, is taking an ad-
vanced course at Trenton.
The Women's Institute will
meet at the home of Mrs. Stan-
ley Eves on Wednesday, Aug. 25.
The program will be in the
charge of Ruby Strasser, Audrey
Eves and Margaret Morton.
Everyone will help to provide
lunch.

The local Red Cross collected
\$19 by tagging on election day.
The Red Cross is holding a
corn roast at the school grounds
on Aug. 27.

Mrs. Clarkson has returned
home from York County hospi-
tal.

Miss Joyce Kyle, North Bay,
is visiting her friend, Miss Elsie
Huntley.

Mrs. W. A. Burkholder has
returned home from her cottage
at Lefroy.

Mrs. Frank Milne spent a
week with friends at Thurstonia
Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Cowieson
are spending this week with
Mrs. J. T. Cowieson.

Pte. Tom Stickwood of Camp
Borden spent the weekend at
home.

Mrs. Angus left on Tuesday
for a vacation at Midland.

Mr. Mainprize is visiting his
son at Ravenshoe.

The new ration books will be
distributed at the schoolhouse on
Aug. 25, 26, 27, from 2 p.m. to
5:30 p.m. and 8 p.m. to 10 p.m.

HOLT

FAREWELL PARTY IS
HELD FOR WESTERNER

Jas. Gibney, Drake, Sask., was
the guest of honor at a farewell
party held at the home of Mr.
and Mrs. Harvey Gibney, whom
he has been visiting for the sum-
mer. Friends from Bradford,
Newmarket, Pine Orchard and
Holt were present. During the
evening Wm. Rutledge, New-
market, presented Mr. Gibney
with a beautiful mantel clock.
Ice cream and cake were served
at the close of the evening.
Rev. and Mrs. Schmahorn of
Madoc were guests at the home
of Rev. and Mrs. L. Slingerland
last week.

LAC Jack Couch of the R.C.
A.F. has returned to Vancouver
after spending two weeks' fur-
lough with his parents, Mr. and
Mrs. W. Couch.

Miss Marian Gibney was vaca-
tioning with Miss Grace West-
cott, Beaverton, and Miss Mar-
ian Jefferson, Newmarket, at
Bala, Muskoka, last week.

Mr. Don Thompson, Mr. Mur-
ray Rutledge and Mr. Ross Fol-
liott of Temperanceville spent
the weekend at Bala, Muskoka.

Rev. and Mrs. John Cook,
Lethbridge, Alberta, spent a few
days at the home of Mr. and
Mrs. M. Rutledge last week.

Mr. Cook was the guest speaker
at Holt church on Sunday even-
ing.

Misses Beatrice Gibney and
Leone Toole spent the weekend
at Lakeview House, Jackson's
Point.

CLEARING HOUSE
Mrs. Green crept up to her
neighbor's fence. "Lizzie," she
called softly, "have you heard—"
Lizzie ran up to the fence, her
ears pricked up in eager antici-
pation.

"Have you heard the latest
scandal about Mrs. Jones?" went
on Mrs. Green.

"No, I ain't heard a word," said
Lizzie excitedly.

"Then there can't be any," stam-
pered Mrs. Green, as she went back to
the wash tub.

KESWICK
Hostess Unawares,
Fails To See Guest

Many a woman has been in the
position of not knowing that she
was to be a hostess until a
moment before the guest reached
her front veranda. But Keswick
now has a woman who did not
know she had been a hostess until
a moment after the guest had left.
Coming downstairs and out to
her veranda on Sunday morning,
this hostess unawares found a
quilt on her swing couch. But
the "guest" had departed without
waiting for breakfast, leaving the
quilt and a new idea for spending
a weekend at Keswick.

LAC Ted Marritt was home
from Fingal for a brief leave
early this week.

Mrs. Thos. Cole, wife of the
president of the Indianola Beach
Association, will be guest soloist
at the morning service in the
United church.

The evening service of the
United church will be transferred
to Elmhurst Beach pavilion.
There will be special music. The
general public is invited.

Mrs. Mary Morton, accompanied
by her granddaughters, Maud and
Doreen Draper, spent Tuesday in
Newmarket with her daughter,
Mrs. Sidney Graves.

Miss Belle Marritt, Long Branch,
has been spending a week with
her aunts at Keswick Beach.

Miss Jean Gloster, Sutton, spent
last week at Mrs. O. J. Wilder's.
Miss Evelyn Marritt also visited
her grandmother, Mrs. Wilder.

Miss Emma Bond returned to
Guelph on Saturday after two
weeks at the Power's cottage, Kes-
wick Beach.

Mrs. Harry Morton, Queensville,
visited Miss Bond on Friday.

Miss Thelma Felton, Toronto, is
a guest of her aunt, Mrs. Wm.
Davison. Other guests at the
Davison home are Mrs. Ross and
Mrs. Ruddy of Toronto.

Mr. W. V. Redditt, bank mana-
ger here, is on holidays and is
being relieved by Mr. Smith, Lindsay.

Miss Joan Peel has returned to
her training at the Western hospi-
tal, Toronto, after a week at her
home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tomlinson,
Toronto, are in their home here
for a two weeks holiday. Mr.
Tomlinson is still resting follow-
ing his illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Pollock
left on Monday for their farm at
Abbey, Sask.

Miss Roslyn Van Norman re-
turned home last week after some
weeks at Bigwin Inn, Muskoka.

KESWICK W.C.T.U.

When the provincial officers of
the W.C.T.U. met in Toronto, April
23 and 24, the canteen official pre-
sentation took place, but minus the
vehicle, as it was not yet out of
the paint shops.

On behalf of Ontario, Mrs. J. S.
MacLean made a formal presenta-
tion to Brigadier R. Foster, of the
Salvation Army, and the brigadier
in turn dedicated the canteen to
the service of God and our soldiers.

The canteen finally was ready for
service and on Thursday, May 27, it
was drawn up in front of Willard
Hall, Toronto, for inspection and to
be actually sent on its mission of
service to his majesty's forces.

It is well equipped with thermos
cans, dishes (plastic) for serving
foods and drinks. An added ad-
vantage is, that in a few minutes,
it can be turned into an emergency
ambulance.

The inside is painted white and
blue, the outside the familiar khaki
and Salvation Army signs in ad-
dition to plaques attached on either
side, telling the world it is "The
Gift of Ontario Woman's Christian
Temperance Union."

Due to the fact that no Ontario
officers, except the treasurer, could
be in Toronto that day, the keys
were presented to Col. W. J. Dray
(S.A.) by Mrs. J. H. Pencook, who
wished its operators godspeed on
its mission.

Col. Dray announced that the
plans had been to work in the
Niagara area, but due to a very
urgent call from Newfoundland, to
serve the navy, the canteen is to go
there.

HIS DIFFICULTY

Little James, aged four, was at
the piano and doing his best to
reach the keys at the same time
he operated the pedals, just as he
had seen his mother do. After
many efforts he cried out in dis-
gust. "I can play the keys all
right, but I can't reach the gas."

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1 Large cutter
1 Buggy
1 Scoffler
1 Root plier
1 Team plough
1 Riding plough
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serve bid and terms)

Various pieces of furniture
Articles too numerous to mention
Property, 9 acres (subject to re-
serve bid and terms)

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TWENTY-THREE
THIS WEEK

On Monday evening, the 9th, the
camp soccer team tripped down to
Toronto to meet Adys in a little
game. Sgt-Major Bowman assures
us that the result would have been
exceptionally favorable had it not
been for the fact that so many of
our team were on leave and fur-
lough. Despite this handicap, the
team did, as the doctors say, as
well as could be expected. The
final score was two-all.

On Tuesday evening all ranks
were paraded to the drill hall to
see another in the series of films,
"Why We Fight". It was excellent
and thoroughly enjoyed by all pres-
ent.

After the film the centre pre-
sented an amateur night under the
direction of Capt. George Patton.
The amateurs were divided into
two groups, artists and musicians.
Among the artists, a group of men
from No. 16 platoon, "D" Coy., won
the first prize of \$10. Sgts. Isman
and Champagne were responsible
for this group's efforts, which took
the form of a bath-towel ballet
with the star stripper finally be-
ing reduced from a formal dance
ensemble to a pair of bathing
shorts. For reasons of morale, we
shall not mention the name of the
stripper.

Second prize of \$6 in cash was
captured by Pte. Merry, who enter-
tained with a series of stories.

Third prize of \$4 went to Gnr.
Crandall, who sang two ditties
without benefit of piano accom-
paniment, as did Pte. Tilling, who
went three.

Cpl. Flood took the fifth prize of
\$2 for a lilt, swaying Hawaiian
dance. Despite the beauty of his
interpretation, the chief point of
interest in the corporal's dance is
still the evidence of how well-fed
he is.

Gnr. McGarr was awarded sixth
prize of \$1.

Among the musicians, first prize
was awarded to Pte. Williams. He
certainly earned his \$5, because he
played difficult arrangements of
two favorites in a most capable
fashion.

Second prize of \$3 went to Pte.
Boychuk, who delighted the crowd
with a couple of mouth-organ so-
los.

Drummer Auchterlonie received
a prize of \$3 for his performance
and Sgt. Hallot was awarded \$2 for
his ability to tickle the ivories.

The show included a quiz con-
test in which all four companies
participated. The questions were
designed to display the knowledge
of the contestants of military facts
and figures as well as of present-
day events. All participants re-
ceived a package of cigarettes and
the five who made the best show-
ing received prizes ranging from
\$5 to \$1.

In all good quiz contests, it's
accepted that the quizmaster
should know just a little more than
the contestants, especially since he
has the answers right before him.

However, last Tuesday night
there was an unforeseen slip-up.
2nd Lt. "Doc" Lindsey, an al-
leged radio quizmaster in civilian
life, was acting as conductor of the
quiz. It seems that Lindsey had
arranged with the bugler to sound
two calls, the alarm and defaulters
and in that order, which the con-
testant was to identify. However,
the bugler had ideas of his own.
He sounded defaulters first.

The contestant couldn't identify
the call, probably because he was
a good soldier. So Lindsey blithe-
ly informed him that the call he
had just heard was the alarm.

The shout of derisive laughter that
rose to the rafters of the hall was
little short of roof-lifting. Lindsey
covered his ruddy face with the
script and promptly prepared him-
self for the draft.

The evening's entertainment
was enhanced by the presence of
Miss War Worker, who in real
life is Miss Dorothea Dales, a niece
of Newmarket's mayor. She con-
gratulated all winners. Two of
Toronto's best, Claire Rousso and
Frank Slocumb, entertained the
troops during the course of the
show with a display of their extra-
ordinary musical and magical tal-
ents.

However, Lindsey was not the
only man to be stricken by the
finger of fate this week. Poor
Sgt-Major Bowman also suffered,
but unjustly. The other day, the
sergeant-major received a notice to
report to the hut of the army ex-
aminer. This he did with alacrity.

SATISFIED

A very old man accosted in
the village street by a stranger,
who said, "I beg your pardon, but
you must be very old."
"Yep," said the old man, "I'm
gettin' on for ninety-six."
"And you have lived all your
life here," marveled the stranger.
"Not yet."

When he presented himself to
Capt. Hines, he was asked to re-
port to the army psychiatrist, who
happened to be in camp on official
business. In the meantime the
psychiatrist had been given a sealed
letter to hand to Sgt-Major
Bowman when he arrived.

However, the psychiatrist forgot
about the letter when he saw the
sergeant-major and proceeded to
examine him. He carried on until
he was forced to stop because the
sergeant-major had brought no
papers with him and because the
psychiatrist had no papers in his
file to which he could refer con-
cerning the sergeant-major. Then,
suddenly, he remembered the let-
ter he was to give to the sergeant-
major, who, when he opened it,
discovered the significant words:
"Am I a case for psychiatric re-
ferral or am I not?"

A group of boys who were sta-
tioned in strategic positions watch-
ing for the climax of this little
incident suddenly noted a figure
bounding out of the corporals' mess
which, when it spied their
gloating faces, stopped, raised a
fist and shouted: "You flickers!"

The specialists' course graduat-
ed out of the hands of Lieut. Fred
J. White, commandant, this week
and held a bit of a celebration.

The students on this last course
made a presentation to Mr. White.
When Mr. White opened the parcel,
he discovered a baby cradle.

Now he'll know where to put his
babies when he has them, which is
practically every day.

Don Morrison of the BOR is
sporting a lance-corporal's stripe,
which is a source of well-earned
pride to this efficient orderly room
clerk. SQMS Galbraith, CSM
Hughes and Mawson and Sgt. Ex-
celby have all been confirmed in
their ranks.

Capt. Patton will be leaving the
centre for a time to take a course
at Long Branch, so A Coy. and our
entertainments, "Hello, Newmar-
ket," "Tally-Ho, Newmarket," "A-
hoy, Newmarket" and "Avast Be-
lay, Newmarket," will have to
struggle along without a mentor
and guide.

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intense it
brought
nothing
but hate!IDA LUPINO
DENNIS MORGAN
JOAN LESLIE

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MOUNT ALBERT SIX CATTLE RUN OVER BY C.N.R. LOCOMOTIVE

Marta Magillivary of Toronto spent last week with her aunt, Mrs. W. L. Carruthers.

Miss Hattie Fleury of Aurora was a guest this week with Mr. and Mrs. E. Spencely.

Six head of cattle were killed on the C.N.R. track on Sunday by the train. They had broken out of the pasture and wandered on the railroad. They belonged to Mrs. John Weller of Scott township.

Mrs. Grose of Thornton has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Walsh.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Ciglen and wee son and Major J. L. Stiver, who has recently returned from overseas, spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Horvath.

The Horticultural Society's flower show will be held Thursday, Sept. 2. All members will receive their prize list immediately.

Rev. W. H. Burgess will return from his holidays this week and again take the services at the United church.

Mrs. L. Pearson and Miss Mildred Dike spent the weekend in Toronto.

Mrs. J. T. Crozier returned this week to her home in Montreal after two weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steeper. Mrs. Steeper and Marilyn Wrightman accompanied her as far as Toronto for a short visit.

Mrs. Herbert Boden of Richmond Hill returned home Sunday after spending a couple of weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Boden and Mrs. C. Paisley.

Pte. Bert Cook and Ethel of Weston spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs. Sam Harper.

Mrs. C. Paisley and Marie returned Sunday after spending a week in Toronto with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brown and family and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Muma of Toronto also Mrs. Annie Henry and Wilbur of Newmarket, spent Saturday with Mrs. T. Boden.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Draper and son, Ross, and Douglas Ross spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Marshall Lyons, at Scarborough Bluffs. Ross and Douglas remained for a week of holidays.

Mrs. R. R. Davis is spending some time with her sister in Orillia.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Boden of Oshawa spent Sunday with Mr. Boden's mother, Mrs. T. Boden.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Jarvis and children of Lansing spent Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hammett spent last week in Muskoka.

The August meeting of the Women's Institute took place at the home of Mrs. B. Sinclair on Thursday with 40 ladies present. As it was grandmothers' meeting there were 18 present who were given a question to answer in regard to grandchildren's welfare and articles used now in place of things used 50 years ago. This proved a very interesting part of the program.

Mrs. Fred Hill, one of the grandmothers, sang a solo and the roll-call was answered by introducing the grandmother each member had brought. Several good readings in keeping with the theme were given, also music by some

NOTICE TOWNSHIP OF EAST GWILLIMBURY

New ration books will be distributed in East Gwillimbury township on Aug. 25, 26, 27, 28, from the same places where they were obtained previously, except Queensville, where they will be distributed from the schoolhouse on Aug. 25, 26, 27, and Mount Albert district will be distributed on Aug. 23, 24, 25 and 26.

J. L. Smith, clerk. clw29

Town of Newmarket DESTROY ALL NOXIOUS WEEDS

Sow Thistle	Hawkweed	Bladder Campion
Handweed	Wild Lettuce	Tumblingweed
Chenopodium	Wild Mustard	Common Milkweed
Wild Carrot	Stinkweed	Common Burdock
Dodder	White Cockle	Pepper Grass
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Blue Weed		Cinquefoils

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CLAUSE 5:
Every occupant of land, or if the land is unoccupied, the owner shall destroy all weeds designated noxious by the regulations as often in every year as is sufficient to prevent the ripening of their seeds.

CLAUSE 23:
Any person who contravenes any of the provisions of this Act or refuses to obey any lawful order of an Inspector given under authority of this Act, shall incur a penalty of not less than \$10, nor more than \$50 for every such offence.

Weeds have no place in a progressive town.

Do your share to prevent their spread.

Keep your own lot clean and report to the town clerk's office any vacant lot that needs attention.

L. W. DALES, Mayor. WELLINGTON CURTIS, Weed Inspector.

KESWICK

Mr. George Tambling, Toronto, is spending a few weeks visiting Miss May Sprague at her home here.

Mr. Ernest Sprague and family of Newmarket visited his sister, Miss May Sprague, one day last week.

Miss Marion King entertained a few of her little friends this week on the occasion of her fifth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Willoughby, London, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Harper.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey King, Richmond Hill, are enjoying holidays calling on friends here and are visiting at the home of Mr. A. King.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Harper, and Donald, and Mrs. W. George spent Sunday at Thornhill, Michael George returning with them.

Mrs. B. C. Fortune spent the weekend at Island Grove, Mrs. Fortune is now visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pegg.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Cook, Toronto, visited Mrs. Cook's mother, Mrs. E. Wright, over the weekend.

Pte. John Holborne, who is stationed at Halifax, is home on leave visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Holborne.

Mrs. Dave Earl is visiting at the home of Mrs. E. Wilder for a few days.

Mrs. E. Brasler, Toronto, is enjoying a week's holidays at their cottage here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Vaughan, Toronto, visited friends in Keswick over the weekend.

Mrs. J. H. Prosser visited her sister at Holt for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Hensley of Toronto spent a week's holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hopkins.

Mrs. Van. VanNorman, Toronto, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer King last week.

Union Street

Mr. and Mrs. Miner, Toronto, were weekend guests of Mrs. Robert Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Leadbetter spent Sunday at the home of Pte. James.

The Union Street Institute held a quilting on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. David English.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Beckett, Mr. and Mrs. W. Beckett, Betty and Ronnie, spent Sunday at King with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Beckett.

GOOD RIDDANCE

"On next Wednesday evening the Ladies Aid will have a rummage sale," announced the minister. "This is a chance for all the ladies of the congregation to get rid of anything that is not worth keeping, but is too good to be thrown away. Don't forget to bring your husbands."

member of the younger generation. The Institute will fill ditty bags for the Navy League and attend a joint meeting at Sharon on Oct. 28 for project work. The afternoon was thoroughly enjoyed by all present and a nice lunch was served at the close.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Burnham spent last week with their daughter, Mrs. Reesor, at her cottage near Fenelon Falls.

Bruce Rolling has returned home after spending seven months working on the Alaska Highway.

Mr. Jas. Gibney who has been visiting at the home of his brother, Harvey Gibney, has returned to his home at Drake, Sask.

Mrs. Margaret Corbett of Gravenhurst has been a guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Agnes Crowle.

The new ration books for the district will be distributed from the board room from Monday, Aug. 23 to Thursday 26. Forenoon hours will be 9 to 11:30, afternoon hours 1:30 to 5.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Pearson and Barbara Joa have been holidaying near Kincardine and have visited Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Cuyler.

Mrs. Brydon, Toronto, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Robertson, Oshawa, visited at the home of Mrs. Robertson's brother, Mr. Chas. Scott, on Sunday.

Dr. Lorne Stokes, Mrs. Stokes and Mr. John D. Stokes of Hanover, Miss Etta Stokes and Mr. and Mrs. Dow Degeer of Toronto were weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Stokes.

Geo. Stokes, R.C.A.F., who has spent his furlough at his home here, left on Sunday to return to Lethbridge, Alta.

The harvest hands from western Canada, who were helping farmers in this community, left on Sunday to return to their homes.

BROTHERS SERVE IN ARMED FORCES



Gnr. Henry Elias Fairley and Pte. George Fairley (right) are the sons of Mr. Wm. Fairley, Newmarket, and the late Mrs. Fairley. Pte. George Fairley is stationed at Camp Borden. Gnr. Henry Elias Fairley is overseas and his wife is living at Windsor. Both attended school in Newmarket.

Young People Entertain Women's Institutufers

Mrs. Thomas Horner is ill in Sutton hospital.

John Till, who was in a Toronto hospital some time ago, is at home now and in fairly good health.

The Women's Institute meeting on Tuesday afternoon was interesting, with the program given by young people. The vice-president, Mrs. Erwin Winch, occupied the chair owing to the absence of the president.

Glenna and Joan Nelson sang, accompanied at the piano by their mother, Glenna Cryderman gave a recitation. Miss Bernice Winch played a pleasing piano solo.

Harry Horner gave an informative and interesting talk to the girls. It was also enjoyed by the older ones present.

Marguerite and Phyllis Pegg sang, "When the old man died," accompanied at the piano by Phyllis Winch.

There was a contest for the girls. The prize was won by Phyllis Winch.

There were 12 ladies and ten girls present. Cookies and ice cream were served.

The next meeting will be held in the hall on Sept. 7. Convenor for program will be Mrs. Norman King. Hostesses will be Mrs. Harry Horner, Mrs. H. Winch and Mrs. Bernard Huntley.

HOLLAND LANDING

Says Government Can't Neglect Its Backers

Mr. Geo. Mitchell, C.C.F. member-elect for North York, met his friends and supporters from Holland Landing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Deans over the weekend. In a brief talk Mr. Mitchell expressed regret that, due to the shortness of the time before the election, he was unable to organize a campaign here.

Formerly a Liberal supporter, Mr. Mitchell, like many another person during the depression period, came to feel that a part of the ends of the depression came from the short-sightedness and, in some cases, gross indifference of the leaders in the two strong political parties in Ontario. Believing a new order was due he became strongly convinced that the C.C.F. party is capable of taking its place among the leaders of the province.

He believed the C.C.F. is capable of providing good and honest government, economically sound and fairly administered, a government that would be what the working people have been seeking.

Mr. Mitchell stated that if Col. Drew's government carry out most of his 22 point program the C.C.F. will back him very strongly, as many of those 22 points have been in the C.C.F. program since the beginning. The drawback was, Mr. Mitchell felt, that it would be impossible for a Conservative government to carry out a program directly against the interests of their strong financial backers.

Besides a number of people from the village and district a number of Holland Marsh owners were present at the informal gathering.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Smith and children of Windsor are visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. D. Bell and Mr. and Mrs. J. Smith here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert West and Miss Audrey West were guests of the latter's father, Mr. T. West, last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kitching attended the wedding of Cpl. Kenneth Kitching to Miss G. Mowery at St. Michael's and All Angels' church in Toronto. Mr. Jack Kitching was his brother's best man.

Friends are extending congratulations to the happy couple.

There will be no service in the United church here next Sunday because of the special centenary service in the Anglican church.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wron of Detroit, Mich., visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. R. Morning and Mrs. Wren's mother, Mrs. R. McCannan.

Miss Grace Campbell, R.N., Toronto, is vacationing at the summer home of her parents here.

Christ church is holding its centennial services next Sunday, August 22nd. Right Rev. A. R. Beverley, Suffragan Bishop of the diocese, will be the guest speaker at the morning service at 11. Rev. A. G. Channon of Whitby, a former rector, will preach at the 7 p.m. service.

Centennial services will be held in Christ church on Sunday. Rt. Rev. A. R. Beverley,

Zephyr

Fred Warren of the R.C.A.F., Toronto, spent the weekend at the home of Mrs. J. H. Lockie.

Miss Erma Cain and girl friend of Toronto spent the weekend with Erma's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Longhurst and Edythe spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. N. Longhurst.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Midgley and Carol spent the weekend with Mr. Midgley's parents at Greenbank.

Miss Joan Thompson who has been spending the summer with her cousin, Miss Wilma Thompson, has returned to her home at Welland.

Mr. and Mrs. James Heaton and son, Kenneth, who have spent the last two weeks holidaying with friends in Zephyr, returned to Toronto on Sunday.

Mr. Kenneth Weir spent the weekend with his family in Toronto.

Mrs. W. W. Thompson who has spent the summer with her son, Dr. R. Thompson, in Welland, returned home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kearns and family of Toronto called on Mr. and Mrs. Tilman Myers.

Mr. C. Milne of Uphill called on friends in Zephyr on Monday evening.

The funeral for Mr. Thos. Myers was held on Monday last.

Mrs. McKewen spent the past week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Tilman Myers.

Miss Olive Myers and girl friend of Toronto spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Myers.

Mrs. Webster, Toronto, is spending a week or so with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Walker.

EAST GWILLIMBURY E. Gwillimbury Sheep Claims Are \$545.50

The regular monthly meeting of East Gwillimbury township council was held in Sharon Hall, Saturday, August 7.

The members were all present. Council paid \$545.50 for sheep killed by dogs or wolves in the month of July.

The following tax rates were set for the present year. General school rate 6.6 mills; county 3.5 mills; high school 4.8; roads 3.3; general rate 2.4; relief and hospitalization 1.8.

J. S. Osborne, reeve, and Hyman Stiver, deputy reeve, were appointed delegates to the Ontario Municipal Convention, to be held early in September.

The clerk was instructed to make application to the Workmen's Compensation Board for employees' insurance.

The treasurer was instructed to pay the gravel crusher employees and truckers every two weeks on order of the road superintendent.

The accounts listed below were ordered paid:

Sheep claim: Gordon Coates, \$27; Joe Coates, \$80; John Rye, \$141.50; R. R. Davies, \$7; H. Gibney, \$79; F. Graham, \$15; Vern Kelington, \$76; James Morris, \$15; Tom Andrews, \$15; Neuman Jones, \$27; Percy James, \$15; Walter Warren, \$14.

General: Tom Crouch, sheep valuation, \$14; Frank Cunningham, sheep valuation, \$20; Dr. Sinclair, medical service, \$5.74; W. Gardhouse, county treasurer, for hospitalization, \$153.62; Era and Express, advertising, \$17.47; Western Hospital, T.B. refills, \$30; Office Specialty Co., office supplies, \$13.55; J. E. Jardine, constable's salary, \$75; Municipal World, supplies, \$6.97; Muskoka Hospital, T.B. refills, \$6; J. L. Smith, salary, \$110; L. J. Farr, relief officer's salary, \$10.

Relief accounts: L. E. Hamilton, \$26.10; S. R. Goodwin, \$13; E. F. Crittenden, \$10; Mrs. F. Pegg, \$14; Geo. Price, \$5.75; Kenneth Ross, \$28.19.

Road accounts were also paid, the items being as follows: gravel trucks, \$333.70; crusher operations, \$391.82; weed cutting, \$18.10; grader repairs, \$17.30; belt conveyor and repairs, \$503; fuel oil, \$26.85; stamps, \$3.50; calcium chloride, \$163.40; superintendent, \$115.

The council adjourned to meet again Saturday, September 4, at 10 a.m.

Suffragan Bishop of Toronto, will be the special preacher at the 11 o'clock service and Rev. A. Gordon Channon of All Saints church, Whitby, at the 7 o'clock service.

PINE ORCHARD

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hutchinson, Verne and Harold spent Tuesday in Toronto.

The threshing machine is busy in the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Colin Widdfield, Newmarket, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Allan and Miss Aleta Widdfield.

Miss Caroline Galley, Toronto, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Landy.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnston and Earl were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Chapman.

Pine Orchard, August 9. Dr. Victor McCormick, Toronto, is visiting his sister Mrs. John Reid.

Miss Ruth Armistage visited relatives in Toronto last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Smith and Mrs. Albert Trivett, Newmarket, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Palmateer.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hall, Sharon, Mr. and Mrs. N. Woon and son of Kirkland Lake were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Allan and Miss Aleta Widdfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Moss, St. Catharines were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Armistage.

Mr. J. Yates, Saskatoon, was a guest of Mrs. Wesley Landy on Monday.

KETTLEBY

KETTLEBY BIRTHDAY CAKE HAS 70 CANDLES

On Sunday, Aug. 15, Thomas Martin Blackburn celebrated his 70th birthday. He has spent all his life around here. His only uncle, Fred Webster, and only aunt, Mrs. Fred Webster and Mrs. Joe Webster, all of Glenville were present. His three sisters and four brothers and their families, his son, Mr. David Blackburn, and family of Toronto and his daughter, Mrs. Allan Ellery and family of Weston came for the event. In all there were 45 present.

Mr. Blackburn received many useful gifts. A very enjoyable afternoon was spent by all, after which a delicious lunch was served. The birthday cake was beautifully decorated with seventy candles.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Hayward, Turbine, Ont., spent last week with Mrs. Hayward's aunt and uncle, Mrs. Bolton and Mr. Watson Elliot.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Blackburn, Anna and Norma Bustine, Toronto, had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Leo Blackburn and family.

AC2 Bruce Black, Rockcliffe, spent the weekend at his home.

Miss Hilda Cull, Toronto, spent the weekend at her home.

Mrs. Barbara Hickey and family of Peterboro spent the weekend visiting her brothers in the community.

Miss Irene Billings, Toronto, is spending two weeks vacation at her home.

Mrs. A. Abak spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clark, King City.

Mr. and Mrs. David Blackburn and family of Toronto, are spending two weeks vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Blackburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Polkinghorne spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. John Little.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Ineson and family of Detroit spent the weekend with Mr. Ineson's mother, Mrs. Ineson.

Mrs. Lennox, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Heacock.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Fox, Humber Bay, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Beatty.

Miss Isobel Pollitt, King, is spending her holidays with Miss Eunice Murray.

Miss Blanche Beatty, Schomberg, is spending a week's vacation at her home.

Mrs. E. Davis, Aurora, spent a few days with Mrs. Allison.

Mrs. Stuart and daughter, Marion, and Miss Jean Archibald of Toronto spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Archibald.

Mr. and Mrs. McCluskey and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Marshall visited friends at Markham on Sunday.

The Women's Institute will meet on Thursday, Aug. 26, in Mitchell's hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hobbs spent Monday the ninth in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Geer and family spent Sunday at Musselman's Lake.

Judge—Now tell the court exactly what passed between you and your wife during the quarrel.

Defendant—Near as I can remember, Judge, they was a flat iron, a rolling pin, six plates and a bottle.

CORRECTION

It was Harold Smith, not Harold Shaw (as stated last week), who acted as pallbearer for the late Irwin Kay at Keswick.

TOWNSHIP OF NORTH GWILLIMBURY

Distribution of Ration Books

The new issue of Ration Books will be distributed in the township of North Gwillimbury at the following places on Aug. 26 and 27.

Elmhurst Beach, former Pollard store

Keswick, schoolhouse

Belhaven, Community hall

Roche's Point, N. Doyle's house

Two doors west of post office

Island Grove, Mrs. Babb's booth

Willow Beach, M. Sedore's

Harold Glover's residence

Baldwin, Elm Grove school

Hours of distribution 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

F. Peel, Clerk, Keswick

POLICE COURT

PARTIES CHARGE EACH OTHER WITH BREAK-INS

Charges and counter-charges arising out of a dispute between landlord and tenant in Newmarket police court Tuesday were dismissed by Magistrate W. N. Robinson when he decided that the dispute was a matter for a civil court.

Mrs. Eleanor Eninel, tenant, jointly charged John Papeash and his brother Edward, landlords, with theft and assault. On the other hand, John Papeash charged Mrs. Eninel and Morris Nelson, co-tenants, with trespassing and breaking and entering. All are East Gwillimbury residents. Everyone concerned pleaded not guilty.

Mrs. Bonnel said that she had leased the farm in East Gwillimbury from John Papeash with the understanding that she should have the use of two teams of horses. She said that on July 16 John Papeash came to the farm and took one of the teams in spite of her forbidding him to do so. She said that the defendant also took a wagon, a mower and two ropes. A colt also trotted away with a mare in the team. She stated that Mr. Papeash took the team, etc., to his brother's farm in King township.

Questioned, she said that she had paid the rent.

"The theft charge is purely a matter for the civil court," commented the crown. His worship agreed and dismissed the charge.

Testifying in the charge of assault against the two Papeash men, Mrs. Eninel told his worship that she had tried to prevent John Papeash from taking away from the farm a fly-wheel belonging to a saw.

"He pushed against me and tried to get my hands," she stated.

"Did you get the wheel?" asked the crown.

"Yes, I ended up with the wheel," replied the witness.

"We needn't go any further with this case," decided his worship.

"No, all's well that ends well," smiled the crown. "She got the wheel."

His worship dismissed the charge, against John and Edward Papeash, of assault and trespass.

Testifying in the charges against Mrs. Eninel and Mr. Nelson of breaking and entering, John Papeash told his worship that he lived in Toronto and rented the farm in East Gwillimbury to the defendants. He stated that Mrs. Eninel had told him some time previous that she did not need the two teams of horses and that he could take one of the teams. He said that he and his brother had taken the horses to his brother's farm and that Mrs. Eninel and Mr. Nelson came to the farm, broke open the gate and took the team away again.

"I think this is a civil matter," stated Magistrate Robinson, dismissing the charge. The charge of trespassing against Mrs. Eninel and Mr. Nelson was withdrawn.

Of 65 cases presented before his worship, 45 were infractions of the traffic laws. Twenty-five of these charges were adjourned and two dismissed. Twelve who received fines of \$15 and costs